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The Year in Review — 1990

THE YEAR 1990 started out with some promise and with some anticipation of a variety of anniversaries, including Carmel High's 50th and the Carmel Fire Department's 75th, among others.

There was also some anticipation and excitement as to who would run for mayor and city council of Carmel. Would the balance of the council be shifted or would it remain essentially the same?

1990 was also an election for the whole nation, with a whole passel of propositions awaiting voters, who were not amused in the least bit at the long and confusing ballot measures.

Things would get contentious during the year, especially as the elections approached. Growth in Carmel, or rather the control of it, was, as usual, a prime issue, as was water, as we headed into our fourth year of a devastating drought.

As usual the year saw some dramatic changes, as people left long-held positions — such as Richard Tyler leaving as director of Sunset Center — and familiar names and faces would no longer grace us with their presence, among those Phil Gray, Terry Thomas, and Clayton Neill. We'll especially miss Phil Gray's smiling face around this office.

There was also a lot of movement in 1990, not the least of which was the extraordinary moving of the "First Murphy" house from the small plot on which it was built down the street to its new resting place. *The Carmel Pine Cone* even moved its offices, about the same distance that the First Murphy moved, but with much less fanfare.

We could go on and on, but the end of the year approaches, so let's get on with our annual feature: The Year in Review — 1990.

THE VOTING balance shifted on the Carmel City Council in 1990 as Barbara Brooks won a four-year seat on the council in April's election. Brooks (center), often voted with the majority with Councilmen Jim Wright (far right), and Ken White (second from left), several times thoughout the year. And even though Councilman Bob Fischer (far left), and Mayor Jean Grace (second from right), found themselves in the minority several times in 1990, more often than not, the council was in agreement on many issues. (Chuck Scardina photo.)

January

Despite objections by Councilwoman Elinor Laiolo, the Carmel City Council purchases the 6.7-acre Hodges property for a whopping $1.75 million.

In a guest editorial in the *Pine Cone*, Laiolo questions the purchase because the city has no specific plans for the land and that a large portion of the land is unusable because it is deemed wetlands.

The city issues 20-year tax-exempt bonds to fund the acquisition; the bonds are to be paid off at the rate of about $24,000 annually.

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Monterey County purchases three parcels of land using funding generated from Proposition 70, a $776 million measure approved by state voters in 1988 to preserve the states park lands.

About $25 million of that money is earmarked for viewshed parcels in Big Sur.

Says Big Sur Land Trust Executive Director Brian Steen, "Proposition 70 really allows us and Monterey County to do what we have been trying to do for the past 15 years — that is to preserve the Highway 1 viewshed."

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Despite the city election being some four months in the distance, Carmel politicos begin the guessing game for the mayoral and city council races.

Mayor Jean Grace throws her hat into the ring, while other hopefuls take the time to further assess the political climate in the fair town of Carmel.

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Plans are revealed for a new snack bar at the Carmel Youth Center, which will transform the the dining area into a 1950s-style diner/soda shop.

Supporters boast that the $125,000 project will be completed for only about $50,000 — thanks to numerous donations.

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Parking Officer Cindy Williams is assaulted by an irate Pebble Beach resident after she tickets him for overtime parking.

The man is fined $250 and ordered to write Williams a formal apology under a deal in municipal court.

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The city council approves subordinate units for those homes where the second kitchens currently exist.

The ordinance is aimed at legalizing existing units.

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The Monterey Peninsula Water Management District begins discussions on limiting new water connections.

The board is sharply divided on the idea and is destined to debate the concept thorughout the coming months.

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San Francisco-based Pacific Union Co. purchases 20,000-acre Rancho San Carlos overlooking Carmel Valley for an undisclosed amount.

The company discloses plans to construct 360 homes, a 140-room conference center, two golf courses and equestrian facility.

Officals stress that no tourist-related facilities are planned for the site, while a general store and gas station may serve residents at the ranch.

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Richard Tyler retires as director of Sunset Cultural Center after 13 years of service to the community.

A bash is thrown in his honor, with more than 150 of his supporters in attendance.

Says Tyler, "Carmel is synonymous with the culture of the people. The people will always keep it alive as they have through the centuries, for what do we have to remind us of the humanity if it isn't our love of what we create and share with each other."

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In the wake of the Oct. 17, 1989 earthquake, the city staff takes a tour of Santa Cruz and Watsonville to learn for those city staffs on how to prepare for future temblors.

February

Reports of the possibility of Fort Ord's closure spark worries in Carmel.

One of 35 military bases nationwide targeted for closure or troop reduction supplies Carmel with a large number of daytime visitors.

Peninsula merchants and politicos stand behind Rep. Leon Panetta in beginning a study outlining economic issues concerning the closure.

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Councilwoman Elinor Laiolo announces she will oppose Mayor Grace in the April election.

In addition to Laiolo, Councilman Bob Fischer files for re-election and Barbara Brooks vows to fight for a seat on the council.

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Residents awake to the sobering fact that, after 53 years, they are about to lose their free ambulance service, provided by the American Red Cross.

The news comes as the result of Measure A, passed by voters which calls for paramedics to respond to calls.

Red Cross officials say it is just too expensive to carry on the free service.

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Carmel resident Charles Chrietzberg files a lawsuit against Simic Galleries, Inc., alleging that the art gallery committed fraud regarding works presented by Paul Valere.

The suit asks for $9,600 in damages.

In the week following the filing, the gallery and Chrietzberg reach an agreement out of court.

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A committee is formed to save the First Murphy house, built by one of Carmel's premier builders in 1902.

The house rests on land owned by a couple who plan to demolish the cottage, which is used primarily for storage.

The city council considers and rejects the idea of allowing the committee its non-profit status to avoid tax consequences occuring from donations.

March

Carmel Pine Cone reporter David Leland and wife Robin's son, Zachary, turns 1.

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LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letters to the editor are welcome. Views on all matters are acceptable, following the guidelines of good taste. While there is no limit on length, brevity is encouraged. Letters are subject to editing for style and length. Each letter must contain name, address and signature. A phone number is needed for verification only. Anonymous letters are not accepted.

Muscially deprived

Dear Editor:

In the article "Carmel safe again from ravages of live entertainment" (*Pine Cone*, Dec. 13 issue), Mayor Jean Grace was quoted as saying she didn't understand what "dead entertainment" was. It seems to me that "dead entertainment" is, of course, just what we have now in Carmel, i.e. canned music or nothing.

While innkeepers and store owners here are worried about a lack of customers and guests, many people probably prefer to stay in Monterey or Pacific Grove where the city is not "dead" at night. Many clubs, hotels, and taverns there take advantage of, and support, our fine pool of local musical talent. Many of these musicians play only acoustic instruments, offensive only to the most devout music haters, and share their talent and performances in the fields of classical, folk, bluegrass and jazz with a clientele that seeks something other than canned music – the only music allowed in Carmel.

As a musician and owner of Carmel Music Co., I am frequently asked by visitors who are staying here in Carmel, where they might hear some good live music and I am forced to reply, indeed with a certain amount of embarrassment, that live music of *any* kind is against the law in Carmel.

Imagine if during the last Monterey Jazz Festival, someone like Oscar Peterson had stopped in at a place like Sadie's or Bud's Pub and offered to play for a few fans (providing there was a piano around) and law-abiding residents and leaders simply threatened to call the police.

Well, after all, we really are quite a cultural community...

Dexter Johnson
Carmel

A Doggone Good Christmas

As we looked out on a midnight clear
I said, "There's little chance for rain, dear"
But that's not the only cause for fear
There are many things wrong around here

World leaders are busy giving each other deadlines
While poor folk are standing in breadlines
And those with a lot to lose can give thanks
For insurance protecting their account in banks

Bust this is not the season to reflect
On each and every social defect
Rather take you dog for a walk on the beach
And let nature be the one to teach

The love between man and pet
May make this season the best one yet
As you think about this take time to pause
The walk on the beach gave your friend Sandy Claws

Ray Coon
Pebble Beach

(Editor's Note: Roy Coon is a student in Ilia Thompson's writing classes at the Carmel Foundation.)

Music lover

Dear Editor:

I read with dismay your article last week on live music in the Village of Carmel ("Carmel safe again from ravages of live entertainment" *Pine Cone*, Dec. 13 issue).

I happen to be a lover of music as I am sure most sensitive souls in Carmel are. And to be deprived of it at a restaurant is simply astounding to me.

Guitar background music is sheer enchantment as is piano music or a string quartet. Granted a 10-piece orchestra is excessive...but can't we simply have city controls over just that that is excessive?

Don Bowen
Carmel

Donations made to Salvation Army good for heart and wallet

DECEMBER MEANS many things to many people – holidays, family gatherings, New Year's Eve. The last thing anyone wants to think about is taxes.

December is also the last month of the tax year, however, and those who plan ahead are looking for ways to reduce the tax burden they'll face come April.

One way smart taxpayers do that is by donating to a non-profit organization such as the Salvation Army. "A donation of unwanted but usable household items, from furniture and appliances to clothes and knick-knacks, is fully tax deductible at a value determined by the donor," said Major Oliver Stenvick of the Salvation Army.

In addition to the tax benefit, the donor has the satisfaction of giving to a good cause. All items donated to the Salvation Army are sold in local thrift stores.

"That revenue is the sole source of funds for the San Jose Adult Rehabilitation Center," Stenvick said.

The ARC is the Salvation Army's alcohol and substance abuse recovery program serving Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Benito and Monterey counties. It provides the residents with skill and confidence-building work therapy, group and individual counseling, and spiritual guidance.

The Salvation Army makes it as easy as possible for people to donate goods, according to Stenvick. There are 14 donation trailers placed throughout the four-county area, nine thrift stores, and free home pick-up from the familiar "Red Shield Trucks."

For information on trailer and store locations, or to arrange for a free home pick-up, call toll-free, 1-800-336-4900.

Birth mothers group meets every month

A BIRTH mothers support group meets once a month at the Childrens Services Center in Monterey.

Birth mothers are women who have given their children up for adoption; the group allows these women to share their feelings with others, according to Teri Livingston, who has been a member of the 2-year-old group.

"There are a lot of women out there...and there's a lot of pain involved," she said. "This gives them a chance to talk about it. We're not a search group, but we have information on it."

The support group meets at 7 p.m. on the last Wednesday of each month at the center at 648 Pine Ave. in Pacific Grove. More information can be obtained by calling either Carol Bishop or Gayle Ward at Childrens Services Center of Monterey County, 649-3033.

EDITORIAL

Sink or swim

THREE CHEERS for the Carmel City Council regarding its decision to reconsider the proposed CBA spring street fair.

Instead of coming off like the Grinch That Stole Christmas, perhaps the council will go on record as one recognizing that economic times are indeed hard all over – yes even in the fairyland of Carmel – and that creative ideas are needed to keep the city from sinking even further.

Granted, one of the two councilmembers appointed to a committee to study the fair has been opposed to the idea of the street fair – an event that would invite local artists into the community to show off their talents and drum up some business for the commercial district. It can only be hoped that a spirit of conciliation exists during the meetings between this council subcommittee and the CBA and that they can come up with an equitable solution.

Oh yes, we have one more Christmas wish.

Keep in mind that the CBA street fair does not bring with it the significance of say, an international debate over the Persian Gulf crisis. In other words, let's not study this simple proposal to death and kill it in the process.

It is time to look for the bottom line: Carmel – both the business community and the city government – needs money to operate.

Sagging sales and declining tourism dictate innovative ideas for the city to remain healthy and vibrant. Sure there has never been a street fair, and maybe there wouldn't be one now if it weren't the current recession, but it's time to face reality.

If increased revenues are not generated in some fashion, the city will surely suffer in the form of decreased sales and hostelry taxes. That means fewer discretionary dollars for expenditures such as the purchase of the Hodges property and the Park Branch of the library, among others.

Don't call supporting the street fair pro-business and don't call it anti-residents – just call it pro-Carmel, because we're all in this together and we'll either swim together, or sink together.

A little holiday cheer

MEMBERS OF the senior class at Carmel High School visited the patients at Carmel Convalescent Hospital with some Christmas cheer, distributing home-made cookies and gifts and singing carols to the delighted patients. Among those students in the holiday spirit were (left), Brandon Gesike, Kelley Allen, Ed Cullom, and George Zarate (with Jeremy Bellisario, presidentof the Associated Student Body in the background), getting ready to give out gifts; and above Kelley Allen, president of the senior class, giving out one of the gifts.

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The proud parents celebrate by placing Zack in a massive cart drawn by Clydesdales, which makes its way down Ocean Avenue to the beach among cheers and jubilation from tourists and townfolk alike.

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Carmel police report that that the number of homeless people is on the rise in town.

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Carmel Recreation Director Beth Kastrup resigns from her post after three years to become a worldwide traveller.

Her position is temporarily filled by city personnel director Jerry Pullen.

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The county transportation commission reaffirms its view that a freeway through Hatton Canyon is the most cost-effective measure to route traffic along the coast.

The commission ignores the city of Carmel, which asks that widening of Highway 1 to four lanes be the preferred alternative.

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A familiar face at the U.S. Post Office, Manny Darby, is transferred to the office at the mouth of the valley.

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A task force is formed by county sheriffs to investigate the eight-month-old murder of Mission Fields resident Linda Perkins.

After interviewing more than 200 people nationwide, a special telephone hotline is put into place.

The FBI adds its expertise into the case that saw Perkins brutally murdered in her driveway July 21, 1989.

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Plans governing future design for Carmel Valley Village move forward as the Carmel Valley Village Mini Plan is readied for a return to supervisors for approval.

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The Harrison Memorial Library receives a yearlong reprieve from funding cuts, as the board of supervisors agrees to existing contracts run through June 30 of 1991.

Carmel's library receives $31,926 from the county toward the purchase of books.

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An environmental study recommends two small garages for Sunset Center, rather than one large affair.

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The water district unsuccessfully attempts to entice steelhead into the Carmel River to facilitate spawning.

A "ladder" is created at Carmel Beach for the salmon to climb, but confused steelhead don't grab the bait.

Officials worry that another dry year could permanently reduce the steelhead population in the Carmel River.

April

It's official, Mayor Grace soundly trounces Councilwoman Elinor Laiolo in the mayoral race, taking 62 percent of the vote.

In the council race, Carmel Residents Association candidate Barbara Brooks wins a seat, while incumbent Bob Fischer is elected to another four-year term.

Carmel Planning Commissioner Carla Ramsey finishes third in the council race.

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The city council designates the Murphy House to have historical significance.

While the listing does not prevent the home from being demolished, it does permit the Save the First Murphy group to apply for government grants to save and restore the structure.

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Carmel celebrates the 20th anniversary of Earth Day with a community walk through

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FUN WAS had by all this year as Carmel High School celebrated 50 years of educating students. Homecoming saw (from left), Lacy Williams Faia, Ann Giles Moore and Susie Mosoff riding in style during halftime festivities.

Supervisors approve consolidation of fire districts

By DAVID LELAND

AMID AN atmosphere laced with accusations and alleged misinformation, county supervisors this week moved forward with plans for the merger of three fire departments.

In a 3-1 vote (with Supervisor Perkins dissenting and Del Piero absent), supervisors Dec. 18 overrode protests from a number of Carmel Valley residents who expressed fear that consolidation would mean reduced service and rising insurance rates.

"The only real change will be in administration," said 5th District Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman, after the hearing. "Fire-fighting capacity will remain the same."

'The only real change will be in administration. Fire fighting capacity will remain the same.'
— Karin Strasser Kauffman

But Dan Terry, representing California Professional Firefighters, a union of 18,000 state firefighters, disagreed, saying the consolidation is "severely flawed," because it reduces the California Division of Forestry's involvement.

"The CDF is one of the premier fire-fighting agencies in this country," he said.

County Service Areas (CSAs) 39 and 43 and Mid Carmel Valley Fire Protection District currently provide emergency medical and structural fire protection service in the greater unicorporated Monterey and Carmel Valley areas.

The Mid Carmel Valley Fire Protection District has submitted a resolution to the county Local Area Formation Commission (LAFCO) proposing dissolution of CSA Nos. 39 and 43 and annexation of the CSA service areas into the Mid Valley district.

Under the proposal a local board of directors would oversee the fire district. Savings to taxpayers could be a much as $300,000 during the first year, according to an independent consultant hired to analyze the consolidation.

The issue will be heard by LAFCO Jan. 8 during a public hearing.

Strasser Kauffman charged that the meeting was conducted in a "contaminated atmosphere," with several misleading letters having been sent to Carmel Valley residents.

The letters, at least one written on county stationery, claimed that consolidation would result in higher insurance rates because fire fighting personnel would be all volunteer.

The letters further alleged that the CDF, which is under contract to the CSAs, would no longer be available to help fight fires.

In reality, state law mandates that CDF be available to fight wildfires.

At Tuesday's meeting, the board approved a measure to renew its CDF contract for at least 16 months to allow for transition, if consolidation occurs.

OFFICIALS stressed the idea that consolidation represents a logical move, pure and simple.

"Consolidation does not represent a takeover and does not represent competition between agencies," said Jim Cook, LAFCO executive officer.

Cook added that none of the fire stations would be eliminated.

"It should be viewed as an administrative change that will not affect the delivery of service to the area," said Jim Brady, a consultant with Hughes, Heiss & Associates, which prepared the analysis for the consolidation.

Charles Page, chairman of the advisory committee on consolidation, was more blunt.

"If this is a takeover," he said, "then Robert E. Lee won the Civil War."

Sheer economics also enters into the problem.

The Pebble Beach Community Services District, which helps fund the CSAs to the tune of about $400,000 anually, is now poised to channel its funding into upgrading water pipes in the Del Monte Forest.

"CSAs 39 and 43 will not be able to stand on their own," Strasser Kauffman said.

Moreover, when Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula expands during the next five years, a new fire station will need to be built on Carmel Hill.

By consolidating, money could be generated for that expense, Strasser Kauffman said.

And then there is the almost-overlooked safety factor concerning consolidation.

"It (consolidation) will save lives," Strasser Kauffman said.

County Emergency Medical Serivces Administrator Kim Donnelly, who adds that 80 percent of fire service responses in the areas considered for consolidation are medical emergencies, agrees.

She cited several arguments for consolidation. These include:

— The proposal allows for standardized training and response.

— A standardization of training for the first responder and, in turn, treatment provided to the patient.

— A single administrative enity to maintain consistent and constant on-line supervision and record keeping.

— Improved coordination at the scene of day-to-day medical emergencies, which will better prepare the agency for medical disasters.

Strasser Kauffman said she will hold several town hall meetings in an attempt to provide residents with correct information.

We're moving!

THE *Carmel Pine Cone* will be moving its offices, but we won't be going far.

Our new offices will be located on Fourth Avenue between Mission Street and San Carlos Street in Carmel. The office is located on the south side of the building, which stretches the entire side of the block on the south side of Fourth Avenue, but the complex can be entered either at Fourth Avenue, Mission Street or San Carlos Street.

Pine Cone offices (which also includes the *Monterey Peninsula Review* and the *Pacific Grove Monarch*), will officially open at the new location on Monday, Dec. 31. *Pine Cone* offices will be closed from Monday, Dec. 24 through Sunday Dec. 30.

The phone number will remain the same for the time being — 624-0133 (624-8076 for FAX). You may have some trouble reaching various departments on Thursday, Dec. 20 and Friday, Dec. 21, because of the move, but keep trying.

The *Pine Cone's* last issue of the year will hit the streets on Thursday, Dec. 20. There will be NO Dec. 27 issue. Deadline for the Jan. 3 issue will remain the same as usual, Friday, Dec. 28.

Happy holidays to all!

Deal reached on Mission Ranch

MEMBERS OF the Carmel Residents Association and representatives from Mission Ranch came to terms Dec. 18 regarding proposed renovation of the property.

Scheduled for a Jan. 9 hearing before the Monterey County Planning Commission, Mission Ranch's design plans had come under strict scrutiny earlier this week.

But after hearing concerns by residents and rebuttals from Mission Ranch officials, the county design review committee unanimously approved plans for the ranch.

The CRA had pressed for an environmental impact report being prepared for the property, which rests just outside the Carmel city limits.

The county planning staff, however, has prepared a negative declaration for the work, which precludes an intense environmental study.

As part of the agreement, Mission Ranch increased its scenic easement in the pasture area from 12 acres to 12.9 acres, which brings the non-buildable area to the base of the hill.

"This is an acceptable solution for the entire community," said Alan Williams, representing Mission Ranch owner Clint Eastwood. "We erred on the side of safety."

In other changes, Williams said he will reduce the number of parking spaces by the tennis courts by 11. That brings the total number of parking places proposed at the ranch to 189 — the current number of parking spaces at Mission Ranch is 94.

Also, it was agreed on that if Williams would "flip-flop" a fourplex planned for the area where five cabins now stand, the CRA would drop objections on the land's possible wetland status.

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Mission Trail Park and the Hodges property, which ends up at the beach.

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Fire officials go on record saying the area is ripe for a viscious wildfire because of four years of below-normal rainfall.

Residents are advised to clear brush away from their homes and prepare for the worst.

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Carmel Planning Commissioner Ed Hicks resigns among allegations that the made a racial slur during one of the planning commission meetings.

Hicks denies the claim, but chooses to vacate the position, which he was appointed to by Mayor Clint Eastwood in 1986.

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Carmel artist agent Robert Fruchter receives three years probation in federal court for misrepresenting artist Paul Valere's accomplishments to Simic Galleries.

The charges stem from a biography of Valare which was found to contain false information on the artist.

In addition, he is fined $70,000 and ordered to perform 100 hours of communit service.

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Carmel environmentalist Noel Mapstead and Phoenix-based attorney David Larkin travel to the nation's capitol to garner federal support for fight a freeway in Hatton Canyon.

May

The Carmel Unified School District makes overtures on taking out its own health insurance, due to ever-rising premiums.

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The city council agrees to move the First Murphy house to one of the city lots at Lincoln Street and Sixth Avenue.

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Water district boardmember Bob Russell succumbs to liver failure at a San Francisco hospital.

An advocate of a water moratorium, Russell had been elected in November's election. He was a staunch supporter of a grant program for residents to retro-fit plumbing in their homes to conserve water.

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The Flanders Mansion is issued a new five-year lease with a 50-year lease option to Carmel Heritage.

The rent: $1 annually.

The catch: Carmel Heritage must take on rennovation costs, which are estimated to amount to $530,000.

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The water district names Jim Cofer as its

CLINT EASTWOOD'S new building on San Carlos Street was the subject of controversy in 1990. The actor-director wants to rezone the structure, which is situated in the service-commercial zone and borders the central-commercial zone. (Frank George photo.)

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- performs the activity in neither official City capacity nor in the line of duty as a City representative.
- performs the efforts within the greater Carmel area.

DEADLINE FOR FILING NOMINATIONS IS DEC. 31, 1990

Name of person as an Unsung Hero: _____

Address: _____ **Phone:** _____

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Please fill out the form above and return it to City Hall or *mail* to "Unsung Hereos Committee," Box CC, Carmel-by-the-Sea. Those to be recognized for 1990 will be honored at the City Council meeting in February, 1991.

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new manager, replacing Bruce Buel.

Cofer brings to the district 14 years of experience in the South Lake Tahoe Public Utilities District, where is completed one dam, managed 33 wells and managed a sewage treatment for about 15,600 customers.

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In protest over the brouhaha regarding former planning commissioner Ed Hicks, Carmel Planning Commissioner Fred Keeble resigns.

Keeble claims that the city's attitude toward Hicks makes it "impossible for me to further associate with the city administration and staff."

★ ★ ★

Organizers of an ambitious swim-gym project slated for property near CUSD offices in Carmel Valley name Andy Briant as project manager and facilitator.

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Rep. Leon Panetta introduces legislation to further clarify military objectives and troop reductions.

That, he says, should delay an decision on the proposed closing of nearby Fort Ord.

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Peter Stocker, a principal player in the Rancho San Carlos acquitision, is killed in an explosive helicopter crash on the property.

June

Carmel police warn habitual parking offenders that it's no more Mr. Nice Guy — those with too many tickets will soon have their cars towed away.

★ ★ ★

Clayton Neill, a man who literally helped shape Carmel in his position as city engineer, dies at the age of 92.

He founded Neill Engineers in 1944 and was involved in serving on the library board and Carmel Sanitary District.

★ ★ ★

The city council allows the Carmel Sands Project an additional year to pour its foundation. Originally issued a permit in 1986, the project had passed its deadline.

★ ★ ★

Despite a move from local competition, the city renews its contract for printing with Copies-by-the-Sea for another five years.

★ ★ ★

Clint Eastwood reveals plans for the renovation of a portion of Mission Ranch.

Residents' fears of increased density and design changes are allayed by plans outlining little in the way of major changes for the land.

★ ★ ★

The Murphy House, led by a bevy of politicians and supporters, is moved down Sixth Avenue to its new location at Lincoln and Sixth.

It is still unclear what the building will be used for.

★ ★ ★

Carmel Pine Cone reporter Nancy Hills calls it quits and heads for film school in a master's program at USC.

★ ★ ★

Popular Carmel Planning Commissioner Terry Thomas dies unexpectedly at a local hospital.

Friends mourn the passing of the commissioner, who was known for his even-handedness and practical decision-making.

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The water district board selects Ken Long to take over the post vacated by the death of Bob Russell.

Long brings to the board a career rich in environmental concerns and governmental experiences.

July

Plans for the massive, $125 million Point Lobos Ranch project run into opposition by 5th district Supervisor Karin Strasser Kauffman. Strasser Kauffman says the project is located in a very vulnerable location, and projects located in sensitive areas must have widespread support, which she belives is lacking in this case.

Plans for the project include a 240-room hotel, recreational building and spa, 36-bed hostel, equestrian facilities, employee housing, six units of inclusionary housing, underground parking, 32 townhomes and housing for a handful of property owners.

★ ★ ★

Monterey County Superior Court Judge Harkjoon Paik juggles the rights of both sides concerning the city's transient rental ordinance.

Paik says he's dealing with two conflicting rights, meaning the city's right to its jurisdiction, and the homeowner's right to privacy.

If both parties follow guidelines suggested by Paik, the ordinance could come before the city council in closed session at its meeting on Aug. 7.

★ ★ ★

Norma D'Isidoro of Concerned Carmel Citizens is worried that a General Plan amendment establishing a limit of 1,400 square feet for homes on 4,000 square foot lots, reducing maximum lot coverage from 45 to 40 percent, will work against homeowners.

If adopted, the total square footage on a lot, including driveway, would total 1,600 square feet. Current law allows 1,800 square feet. The oirdinance does not affect lots from 7,000 to 12,000 square feet, which remain the same.

★ ★ ★

The Carmel Bach Festival, an institution now 53 seasons old, shows now signs of middle age. With the arrival of musicians from around the world, the festival begins Monday, July 16. It runs through Aug. 5.

★ ★ ★

For an annual outlay of less than a quarter of 1 percent of the city's $7.3 million annual budget, or $10,017, Carmel takes in enough business tax revenue to compose at least 70 percent of its budget.

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NANCY SPRINGER-OCHS AND Cecil Wahle show-off theater posters from the Herbert Heron memorabilia collection. In october, the city council spent over $50,000 in city funds on the valuable collection, which contains personal letters to Heron from Jack London. The items are on display at Harrison Memorial Library's Park Branch. (Frank George photo.)

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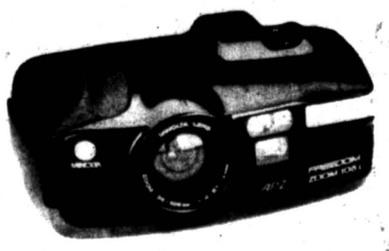

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Children and teen after-school art classes are now being offered at the Pacific Grove Art Center, 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Children ages 7 to 11 meet 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Thursdays.

Teens age 12 to 18 meet 3:30 to 5:30 p.m. Fridays. Cost is $7 per class or $28 for the month.

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In turn, the Carmel Business Association, the recipient of the funding, fields calls regarding Carmel that would otherwise be handled by city staff, serves as a visitor information bureau, and attempts to entice tourists to the area – all with a staff of one.

August

The destruction of three Monterey Cypresses on Scenic Drive has drawn statewide attention and outrage from citizens of Carmel. The Carmel Friends of the Forest are offering a reward for the capture and conviction of the culprit.

★ ★ ★

The Monterey County Flood Control and Water Conservation District is in concurrence with the Odello family's proposal for Coast Ranch, which calls for 76 luxury lots.

District officials think if the Odellos lower the southerly levee on their property to allow flooding of agricultural land, devastation can be avoided in Mission Fields and The Crossroads during a 100-year flood.

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With the issue of offshore oil drilling somewhat under control, environmentalists are now focusing on maintaining local control of the proposed Monterey Bay National Sanctuary.

If adopted, the 2,200 square mile sanctuary would become the largest of nine sanctuaries in the United States, according to the draft environmental impact statement-managment plan.

While State Transportation Department officials ponder the county's request for the almost $34 million needed to build the Hatton Canyon Freeway, environmentalists continue their claim that such an expense is pure foolishness.

★ ★ ★

Scenic Drive residents had reward signs for the Monterey cypress vandals removed the week of Aug. 13. Meanwhile, one of the three damaged trees toppled over late in the evening on Aug. 22.

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The audience applauds at city hall on Sept. 3 after the Carmel City Council unanimously appropriates $50,800 in city funds for the purchase of Herbert Heron's private collection of books and letters.

The collection will be displayed in the local history section at Harrison Memorial Library's Park Branch, and it includes personal letters from authors Jack London and George Sterling to Heron, who founded Forest Theater and was twice the mayor of Carmel.

★ ★ ★

Faced with a dramatic $3.9 million shortfall in state funding, county supervisors grapple with a $278 million budget during the week of Sept. 3.

The budget is destined to cut a swath of wreckage through many essential county programs.

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Just as there is no longer a free lunch, the days of no-cost American Red Cross ambulance service in Carmel are ending.

Under the terms of Measure A, approved by voters two years ago, each ambulance in the county must include paramedic service, which will provide more efficient and higher levels of health care on route to the hospital.

★ ★ ★

Pebble Beach Co. owners confirmed on Sept. 5 that the company has been sold to the Japanese-owned Ben Hogan Properties for an undisclosed amount of money.

The sale includes the Pebble Beach Golf Links, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, The Inn and Links at Spanish Bay, 17-Mile Drive, Spyglass Hill Golf Course, Del Monte Golf Course in Monterey, the undeveloped Old Capitol site in Monterey and undeveloped properties in Pebble Beach and the Monterey Peninsula.

Ben Hogan Co. is owned by Minoru Isutani, who has made his fortune in golf course development.

Additional cultural programming and improvements at the Sunset Center will be emphasized when the Carmel City Council considers the biennial budget. The budget is balanced, and the single largest revenue source for the city is the hostelry tax, City Administrator Doug Schmitz says in a report on the 1990-92 finances.

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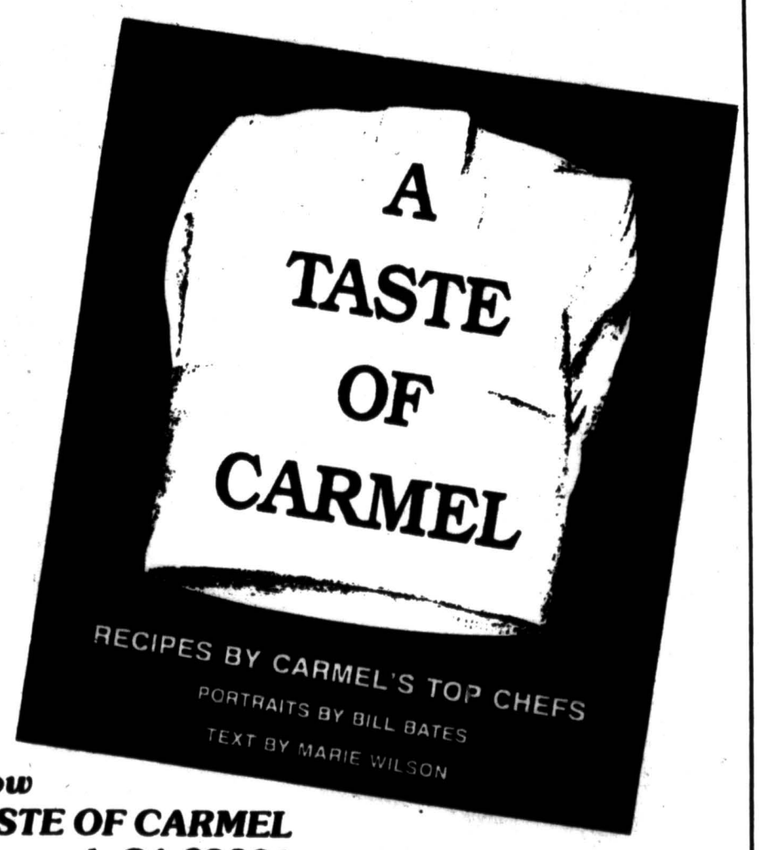

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Despite the elimination of a commercial enterprise on the property, officials from the Odello family Coast Ranch failed to win a vote of confidence from Monterey County Planning Commissioners.

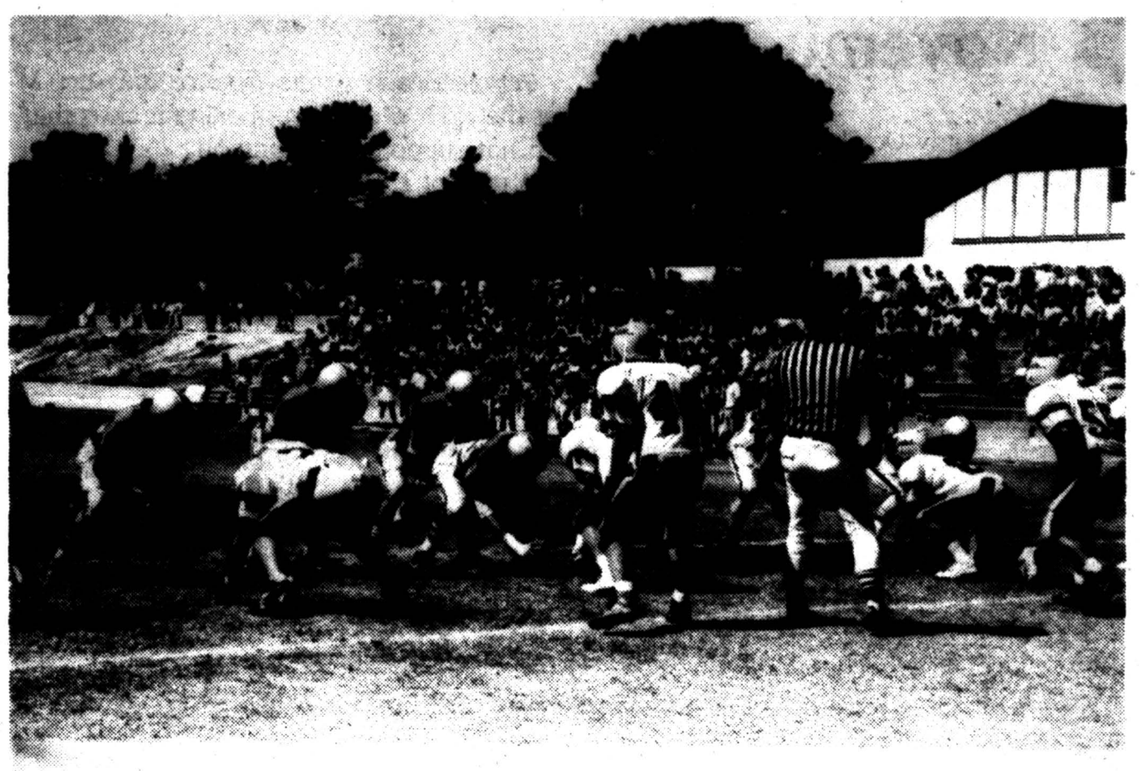
October

Former mayor and film star Clint Eastwood will appeal a Sept. 26 planning commission denial of a rezoning request for his new building to the city council.

Eastwood wants to rezone his San Carlos Street building so he can rent spaces to businesses that aren't permitted in the zone where the building is situated.

Proponents of Measure N are touting the advisory vote as a possible remedy for construction of at least two projects slated for south of the Carmel River.

Placed on the Nov. 6 ballot by the Monterey Peninsula Regional Park District, the bill will gauge public support for the agency's ambitious plan to acquire nine privately owned parcels on the peninsula.



DESPITE A disappointing finish to its season, the Carmel High School football team thrilled spectators to a number of exciting football games and its first winning season in many a year. (Chuck Scardina photo.)

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Several months of speculation ended Oct. 17 when it was officially announced that world-class tenor Luciano Pavarotti would entertain at Pebble Beach on March 17, 1991.

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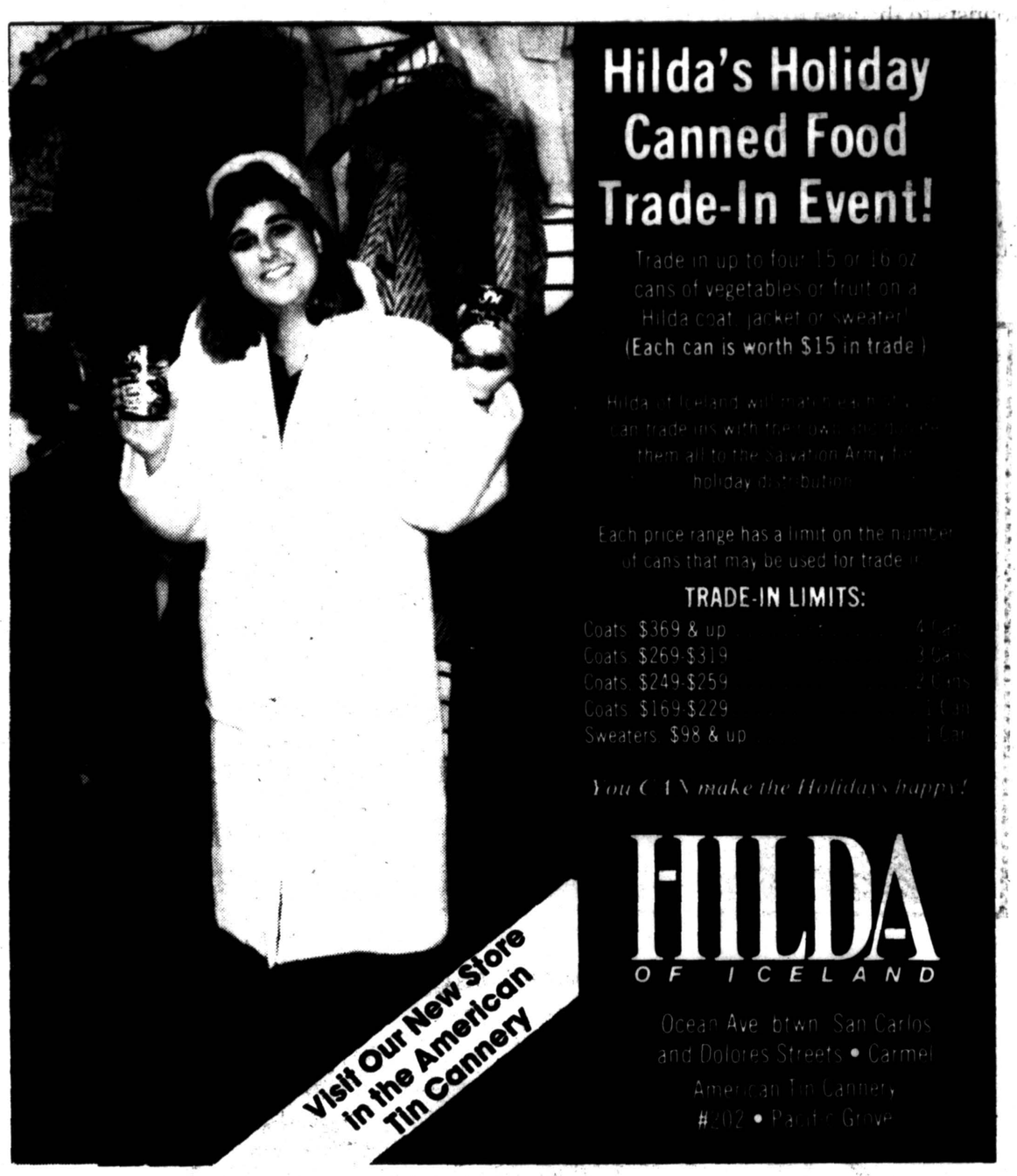
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In a 4-3 decision Oct. 15, the Monterey Peninsula Water Managment District board approved an ordinance that binds area golf courses to collectively reduce their water use by 23 percent from the 1987-88 base year.

At the Oct. 22 meeting, a water district board subcommittee presented a water allocation report that recommends imposing a moratorium on new water hookups.

The annual allocation for the peninsula will be 16,744 acre feet, according to the document.

In the report, findings show average annual district consumption is 16,974 acre feet, which would create a deficit of 230 acre feet. These findings justify an ordinance preventing new connections "until the supply can be increased or the demand further reduced to offset the deficit," the report reads.

★ ★ ★

Carmel High School head football coach Craig Johnston has accomplished in one year what some feared could never be done: he has instilled a winning attitude in his players.

This year, the team is 5-0-1, with its three most important games waiting in the wings — Palma, King City and Pacific Grove.

November

Despite an early October informal *Carmel Pine Cone* telephone survey indicating a possible defeat of Measure M, forces supporting incorporation of Pebble Beach remain optimistic less than a week before election day.

★ ★ ★

Both the Sierra Club and U.S. Department of Interior strengthened their opposition this week against Caltrans' plans for a $33 million freeway through Hatton Canyon.

★ ★ ★

The Carmel City Council unanimously upholds the planning commission denial of a rezoning plan for Clint Eastwood's new building on San Carlos Street.

"I was surprised by the way it just kind of floundered," Eastwood says. "I don't think the council was in the mood for it (a rezone). In anticipation, I thought someone like (Councilman) Jim Wright would go for it."

★ ★ ★

Pebble Beach voters trounce measure M at the Nov. 6 election, making it clear they do not support incorporation.

A total of 1,755 voters (or 65 percent) say "No" to measure M, while 933 (35 percent) support incorporation.

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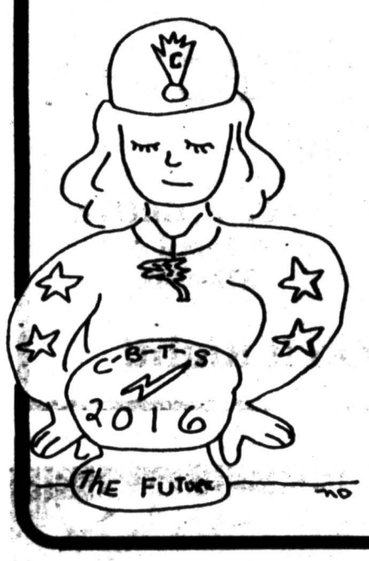

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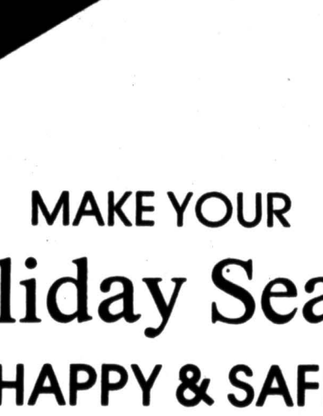

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my Corps of Engineers citing extensive environmental concerns, federal and state officials are moving forward with plans for a $33 million freeway route through Hatton Canyon.

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President Bush signs a wilderness land exchange bill Nov. 8, opening the way for a new dam on the Carmel River.

But water district officials say the dam can't be built soon enough for the drought-stricken peninsula.

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In a 4-1 decision on Nov. 26, the water board approves a moratorium on new water hookups. The restriction will be enacted on Jan 1, 1991.

December

In an attempt to "simplify" the wording, the Carmel City Council drops all reference to a 45 percent residential floor are ratio (FAR) on the March 1991 special election ballot.

Mayor Jean Grace and councilman Bob Fischer are in the minority in the 3-2 decision made at the Dec. 4 council meeting. The ballot originally asked voters to choose either a 40 or 45 percent FAR for single-family residential homes.

The ballot now simply asks citizens if the General Plan should be amended to place the FAR at 40 percent.

★ ★ ★

An official agreement is being inked between organizers of Carmel Area Swim-Gym and the Carmel Unified School District Board of Trustees.

The memorandum of understanding outlines plans for the school district to lease land for the project for $1 annually, while the swim gym will sublet the completed facility back to the district for the same amount.

★ ★ ★

Just a few weeks away from Monterey County Planning Commission hearings regarding plans for Clint Eastwood's Mission Ranch, the Carmel Residents Association calls for the study of several issues concerning proposed renovations at the 21-acre ranch.

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A lawsuit filed against the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District might prevent the adoption of the 16,744 acre feet water supply and the moratorium on new hookups, which were recently approved by the district.

The lawsuit alleges the water board added a new option to its final environmental study, which the public was never allowed to see or comment upon.

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Caltrans officials concede that their proposal for a $34 million freeway through Hatton Canyon is destined for litigation — no matter what.

"If we don't do Hatton Canyon we'll be in court," says Gregg Albright, Caltrans community involvement coordinator, referring to to efforts by a segment of the community to widen the existing Highway 1 to facilitate traffic flow.

Fees increase at Point Lobos

THE STATE budget for the 1990-91 fiscal year requires that the State Department of Parks and Recreation collect an additional $16 million in revenues.

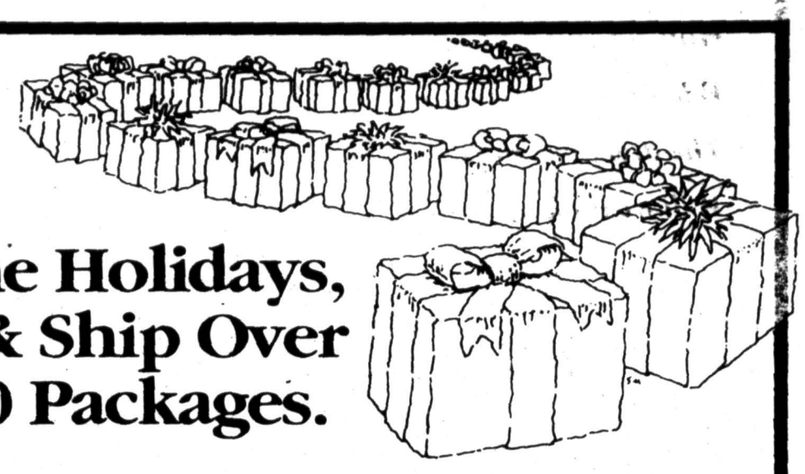
State parks use fees at Point Lobos State Reserve as well as many other state park units throughout the state were increased effective Sept. 1, 1990. To spread the cost of state park operation more equitably among all users and meet the revenue collection mandate, effective Jan. 1, 1991, individual entry fees for day use will be charged at Point Lobos for individuals who walk or bicycle in to the reserve.

The adult entry fee (ages 18 and over), is $2. Ages 6-17, the entry fee is $1. As of Sept. 1, 1990, vehicle entry is $5.

A pass for all of calendar year 1991 will be available soon for an annual fee of $30 for adults and $15 for ages 6 through 17. The passes are not transferable; identification is required when the passes are used. Frequent vehicle users of state parks may purchase an annual vehicle day-use pass for $75.

In addition, consistent with the department's requirement to collect fees wherever it is feasible to do so, they are exploring and expect to collect fees at Marina State Beach early in 1991.

For further information concerning hours of operation, other fees, and other passes available, contact the Department of Parks and Recreation, Monterey District, 649-2386.



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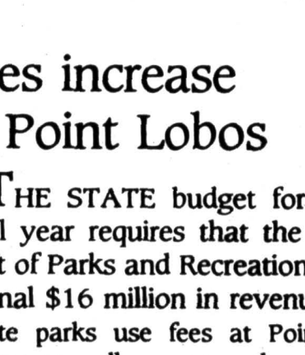

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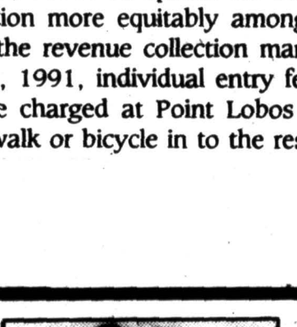

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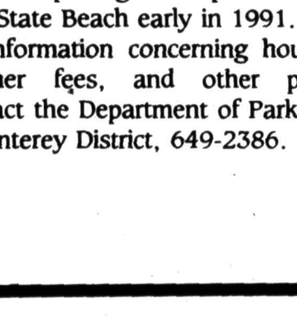

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COAST & COUNTRY

By Barbara March

MAESTRO HAYMO Taeuber (left), chatted with Colonel and Mrs. John F. Powers of the host committee before making a rare appearance conducting the Monterey Bay Chamber Orchestra at the Red Cross Ball, held in the Grand Ballroom of the Old Hotel Del Monte. (Chris Hulse photo.)

It's a wrap!

MY OFFICIAL memory only goes back as far as column no. 1 (Sept. 13, 1990), but nevertheless there are a number of scenes and a few afterthought during that short span that deserve a final mention.

– The surprise and shy delight on the face of Rancher's Days founder Kent Heneks when he was told his event would make the *Pine Cone* social pages. Watch for more horseman news next year.

– Ralph Lauren graciously emerging from his once blue, now black, 1938 Bugatti 57SC Atlantic to accept the "Best of Show" award at the Pebble Beach Concours d'Elegance. Count on it. Yuppies will discover the concours in '91.

– Craig McFarland's willingness to share and share and share when asked about his remarkable collection of vintage Rolls-Royces. Can't wait for August '91 when Rolls-Royce and Pierce Arrow hold their international meet here. Craig will be in his glory and so will his cars.

– The candid answers to "Who would you like to see on the main stage at the Monterey Jazz Festival?" There are some discriminating jazz aficionados out there patiently waiting for change.

– The Carmel restaurateurs who generously donated their time and talents to the "Taste of Carmel." Don't forget them over the holidays when you plan a holiday lunch or dinner.

– Carmel Youth Center Board President Ave Lallos thought a "Pink Cadillac Party" sounded like a good idea for the annual party but locals lamented the demise of the Spaghetti Western. Will we see a Spaghetti re-run in '91, Ave?

– The generosity of all the people who contributed to the building fund for the replacement of Bruce and Jean Ariss's home.

– Le Masquerade, the wild and crazy black-tie benefit for Natividad Medical Center. People are still talking. Party planner extraordinaire Char Etienne has been booked solid ever since.

– An unforgettable scene. Artie Early and Myron "Doc" Etienne vying for the lead position in the chorus line during the *Anything Goes* number at Le Masquerade.

– The Cachagua Volunteer Fire Department – Capt. Jaime del Valle reports his crew is operating on sheer will power these days. They need donations to maintain the level of fire protection we all expect; there are no tax dollars available to them. Are you listening Sky Ranch and Asoleado?

– Carmel Art Association member Jack and Stacia Bevier who deserved more than the prize for the best couple at the CAA Halloween Masquerade Ball. They stole the surrealistic show.

– Carmel High supporter John King was thrilled with the turnout of alums for the 50th annual Padre Homecoming reunion warmup. He promises the biggest Carmel High reunion ever is coming in the spring.

– Jason Harbert's long-awaited moment of recognition when he posed for the first and only class picture of the Carmel High class of '43. "Coast & Country" would be happy to provide the negative for a poster-sized version of Jason to take its place on the wall between '42 and '44 for the spring reunion.

– A sign of impending recession were those wine tasters at the Beaujolais Nouveau Festival at The Inn at Spanish Bay who downed their sorrows in the young wine. And, boy were they sorry the next day!

– "Coast & Country" was credited with a first in its young life. Editor Mac claims the Nov. 29 column that included a photo of a leaky faucet at Flanders Mansion was a first for the *Pine Cone* society pages. Photojournalism, here we come!

– My favorite table at Chartwell School's "Night of the Round Tables" was the one that looked like a snow bank. On top of the centerpiece snow drift sat a large Christmas crystal-ball, the kind you shake to make the snow swirl. Guests were heard singing, "Oh the weather outside is frightful..."

– The holiday season brought a dizzying round of parties and galas but the prize for most spectacular Christmas season event has to go to the Red Cross Ball – "A Royal Night in Vienna." It was old-world elegance at its best. Leaving the ball, to pause for one last look down the hall of flags into the Grand Ballroom of the Old Hotel Del Monte, we saw a scene from another era. Beautifully gowned women and dashing men gliding across the dance floor to a Strauss waltz.

HAPPY HOLIDAYS AND FASTEN YOUR SEAT BELTS FOR 1991!

P.S. If your group has announcements of upcoming events or photos that you would like to see in *Coast & Country* send them to me at P.O. Box 353, Carmel Valley, 93924. Don't be shy, remember you don't have to be black-tie – or even a cowboy – to qualify.

HELD AT the Old Hotel Del Monte, "A Royal Night in Vienna," was graciously old-world. Hosts and hostesses in red sashes mingled and generally made sure everyone had a good time. (Left to right), red-sashed, Judge and Mrs. Emile A. Serres welcomed Mr. and Mrs. Milton Reese. Judge Serres is the former Chairman of the Board of the Monterey County Red Cross (Chris Hulse photo.)

SERVING ON the host committee for the Red Cross Ball, which was jointly sponsored by the Directors of the Monterey County Chapter of the American Rd Cross and the Trustees of the Monterey Bay Symphony were (left to right), Kathryn Murphy and Red Cross board member Connie Le Blanc, who serves as treasurer. (Chris Hulse photo.)

"A ROYAL Night in Vienna" – (left to right), Dory Urcis in a dramatic ballgown by Princess Di's designer Belleville Sassoon, her escort Robert Pettit in traditional black tie and Blossom Hampton, dressed in an understated elegant black . Chanel. (Chris Hulse photo.)

DRESS UNIFORMS added to a special touch of elegance to the glittering throng of guests attending the Red Cross Ball – "A Royal Night in Vienna." (Left to right), Joe and Joy Kowalewski, Cathleen Tunkis and Dean Smith. Joe and Dean are attending the Naval Postgraduate School. (Chris Hulse photo.)

OOPS

IT WOULD have to happen on our second-to-last issue of the year: in the Dec. 18 issue, a photo on the front page of Santa Claus with a group of kids identified two of the tykes, but unfortunately called the third child, an "unidentified boy." Heartfelt apologies to Courtney Connell on the far right. Seems she took off before the photographer could get her name, and by looking at the photo thought the short-haired girl was a boy and identified her as such in the caption. Courtney was joined by Luke Perkins (left), and Larissa Lostrom in the picture with Santa during Carmel-by-the-Sea's annual tree-lighting ceremony held at Devendorf Park and Carmel Plaza on Dec. 14. (Frank George photo.)

Speakers on AIDS available for presentations

SPEAKERS FROM the AIDS Speakers Bureau of the Carmel Chapter of the American Red Cross are now available to speak to community groups, organizations or businesses on AIDS.

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Recently, 13 community volunteers have completed an intensive training course on AIDS and the transmission of the AIDS virus (HIV), as well as prevention and education strategies.

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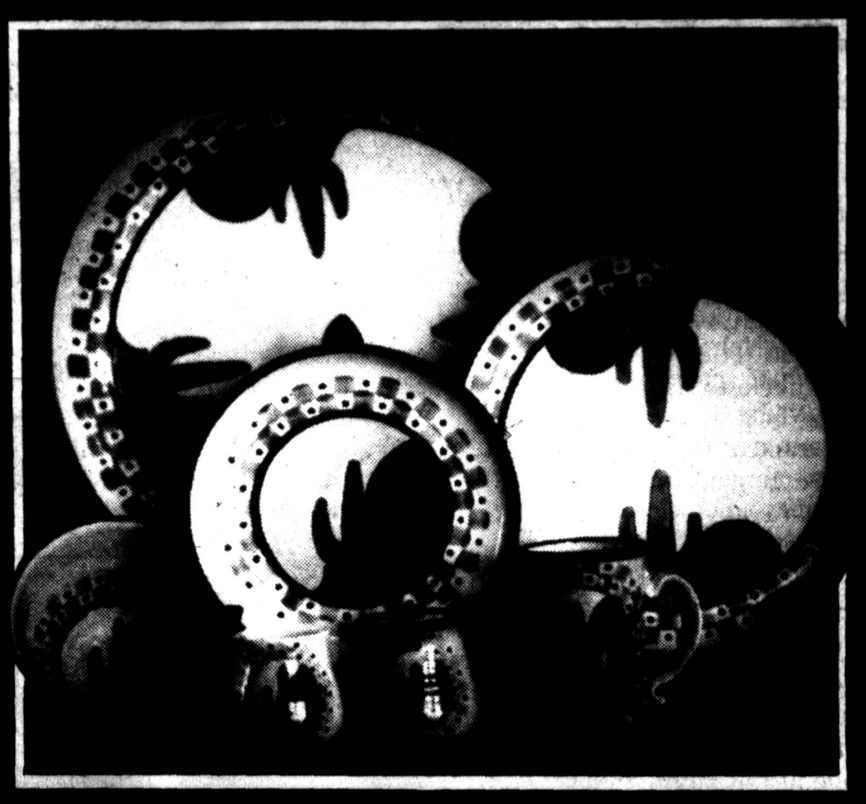

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TAKE MY WORD FOR IT

By D. Patrick Gallagher

A sad story

WHEN PEOPLE run for public office, no one comes to the candidates and offers money for their campaign if they will vote a certain way. That sort of blatant vote-buying is seldom seen today.

Special interests, whether they be labor unions, environmentalists, or political action committees (PACS) for realtors, the financial markets, oil interests or whatever, simply ask candidates their views on subjects of interest to them and then make a decision as to whether or not to invest in their elections. After one is elected, however, the game begins to change ever so slightly. One indication of that long-term intent of campaign contributions is the fact that many special interests contribute to both candidates in a close election.

People who run for public office are supposed to do so out of a desire to serve other people. They are not supposed to see public service as a job. If one is seeking a paycheck, one might suggest they go out and find another way to make a living. Public service, ideally, is just that.

Unfortunately we do not live in an ideal world, but the efforts to limit terms of office indicate that most people do see public office as something quite different from a career. Voters are beginning to emphasize the concept of service and are telling people who run for office to consider it a short-term opportunity to help your community, and then get back to your regular job and get on with making a living.

Under our present system, once people are elected to office and begin paying bills with the income received as officeholders, they forget they are there to serve and they begin to treat the position as they would any job, i.e., to hold onto it at any cost. It does, after all, pay the mortgage, put food on the table, send the kids to school and buy the various necessities of life. Would you voluntarily give up your job? That, of course, is exactly the problem. Once again, it is not a job, it is paid service. When office-holders make the mental transition from *service* to *livelihood*, that's when we run into trouble.

Re-enter the special interest. In order to maintain their jobs, public servants must be re-elected and that takes money. Money for mailing brochues, for radio jingles, for billboards, for television, for staff and for travel. While no special interest asked for your vote when you were running for office, believe me they have been counting them since you were elected.

They have also been counting how frequently and how well you respond to their requests for "consultation" on pending legislation. A less than satisfactory ratio of favorable responses may find you facing a well-financed opponent in your re-election campaign, well-financed by the very interests to whom you failed to respond during your first term. Now, that's unfortunate, but it is fair. Why should they put their money into the campaign of an incumbent who does not support legislation important to their interest? If you want to call that buying votes, you may, but it doesn't make good sense. Would you invest money in someone who doesn't think the way you do on important issues?

If incumbents want to "keep a job," they will respond to powerful special interests by voting to support legislation helpful to those interests in order to keep them from too vigorously supporting a future opponent (after all, candidates can't count on us to contribute to their campaigns, can they?). However, when they make that decision, incumbents are no longer public servants. They are now simply people trying to keep their jobs.

Special-interest money buys *access* and, eventually, it buys favorable legislation. Big money can even foment a disaster. Charles Keating, president of Lincoln Savings, gave $1.3 million to five United States senators for their re-election campaigns and for other political causes. Nearly $850,000 was divided among Sen. Alan Cranston's campaign committee, his son's voter registration organization and the state democratic organization. In return, Sen. Cranston and the other four senators interferred with regulators trying to stop the criminal looting of Lincoln Savings by Keating and his cronies, looting which is expected to cost the taxpayers $2 billion. Sen. Cranston continued his efforts on behalf of the thrift's president even after he was informed of a pending federal indictment against Keating. Mr. Cranston said he was simply responding to the needs of a "constituent." What Sen. Cranston was actually doing was seeking money that would allow him to keep his "job.".

One of the senator's aides, during the Senate Ethics Committee hearings, remarked that her recommendation to the senator that he take advantage of his support for legislation favorable to Mr. Keating by asking for a $250,000 contribution did not indicate a "link" between what the senator did and the contributions. It is possible Sen. Cranston would have voted as he did regardless of the contribution, but taking the amount of money he did from a single interest distorts the concept of public service. Clearly the Senate was a job to Mr. Cranston...a job to be kept at any price.

Sens. Cranston, DeConcini, Riegle, McCain and Glenn did not create the S & L Crisis. The credit for that disaster lies indisputably at the doorstep of the Reagan administration and its deregulation mavens Donald Regan, David Stockman and George Bush (who, as head of a review panel, gave the system a clear bill of health in 1987 when it was collapsing).

Many democrats in Congress, however, took advantage of the "robber baron" atmosphere to enrich their own campaign coffers with only one goal in mind; perpetuation of their own "jobs." It is not a new story, but, given our need for responsible government and true public service, it is a sad one.

Joseph Yang's wireworks shown

"Wireworks," an expression of Chinese painting using fine wire and solder, will be featured throughout December in the Hallway Gallery of the Carmel Foundation.

The artist is Joseph Yang, who was born in Manchuria in 1926. At the close of World War II, after the dissolution of his wealthy family, Yang began a tortuous 2,000 mile journey by foot to southern China. His path would then lead him across the Pacific via Taiwan and Japan to America.

When Yang came to Carmel 20 years ago, the peace of his new home afforded him the environment to concentrate on his paintings and calligraphy. From the discipline and beauty of the expressed line – the key to Chinese painting – Yang developed his wireworks. His materials are simple: fine wire and solder. The spontaneity of his design belies the complexity of thought given to creating both a visually pleasing and structurally sound piece of work.

Yang attended Meiji University, Tokyo, Japan, and received his M.A. in international relations in 1966.

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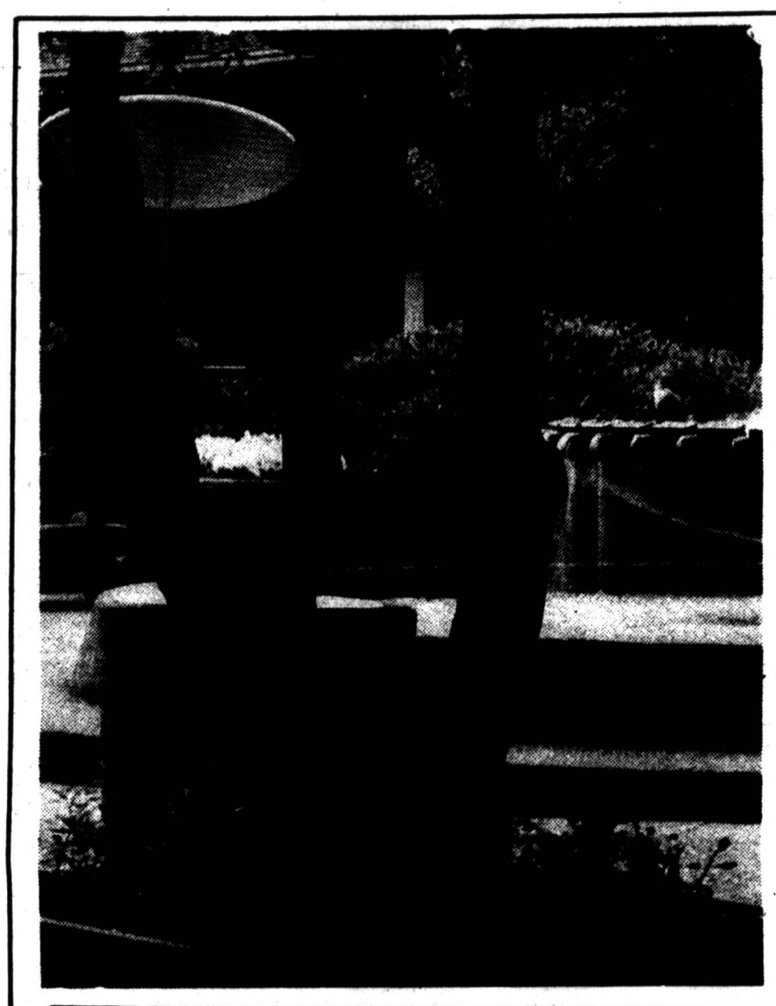
All those submitted are considered in the *American Poetry Anthology*, a well-known collection of current verse.

Submitting poets will also receive the *Poet's Guide to Getting Published*.

The American Poetry Association has sponsored poetry contests for 9 years and has awarded well over $200,000 in prizes to more than 3,500 winning poets.



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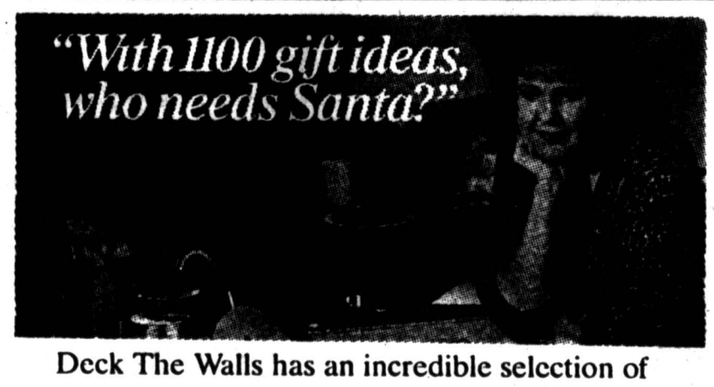

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The JV squad also won (1-0) on a goal by Andrew Kylander Clark. The teams lost their first league match two days later (12/14) down in King City by a score of 3-1. Carmel's lone goal came from an excellent shot by Chris Biason on a free kick. The JVs lost 3-0.

Frosh Boys Basketball

The freshmen boys lost in the Gonzales Tournament to Hollister (48-34) on Thursday (12/13), to RLS (53-43) on Friday (12/14) and on Saturday (12/15) to Alisal by a score of 70-30. The team travels to Monterey this Thursday (12/20) to play at 4 p.m.

Events this Week

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Boys Basketball at Monterey	4/5:30/7 p.m.
Alumni Game Practice at CHS	6-8 p.m.
Friday (12/21)	
Girls Basketball vs. Watsonville	5:15/7 p.m.
Saturday (12/22)	
Boys Basketball vs. Seaside	3/4:30/7:30 p.m.
Alumni Basketball Game at CHS	6 p.m.

Point Pinos lighthouse

The Point Pinos Lighthouse in Pacific Grove will be closed to the public until Saturday, Jan. 5, 1991 for general maintenance.

When it re-opens, it is free for the public to view on Saturday and Sunday from 1 to 4 p.m.

SPCA special holiday adoption policies

As in past years, the SPCA of Monterey County, A Humane Society, will have special adoption policies from Dec. 21 through Dec. 25.

While adoptions will not cease, those adopting a dog or cat during this particular time will not be permitted to take their new pet home until the morning of Wednesday, Dec. 26, provided the animal has been spayed or neutered.

This action is being taken because the SPCA has found that with the stress of the holidays and extra activity around the home, a new pet is often ignored. Therefore, for the protection of the animal which needs special care at adoption time, the SPCA will keep the pet until the day following Christmas.

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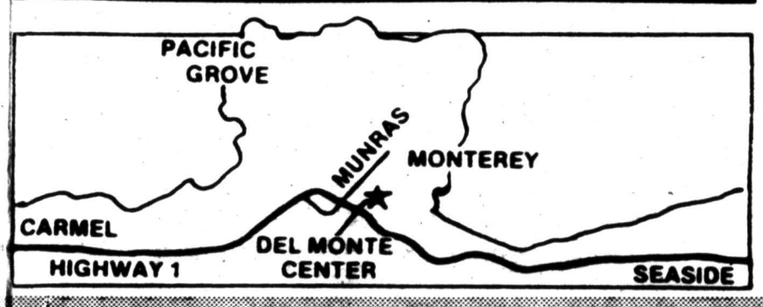

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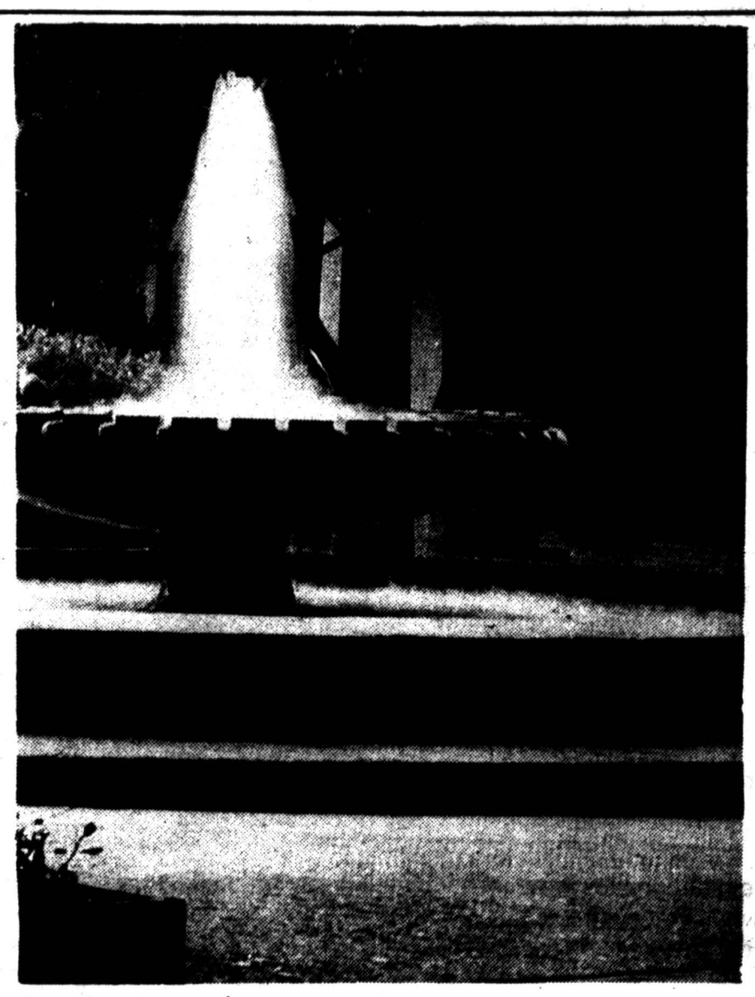

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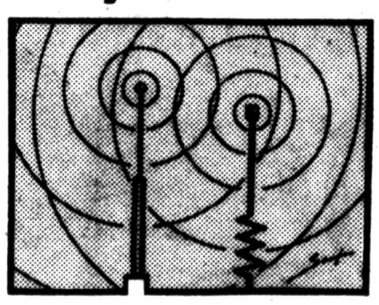

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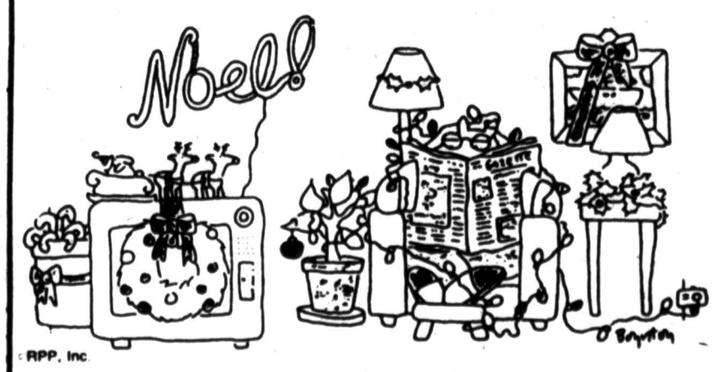

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Educational sessions will begin Feb. 4, 1991, and will continue weekly into May. Topics will include the natural and cultural history of Point Sur, CPR and First Aid, field trips to other lighthouses, and attendance at a Point Sur tour each month.

Applications can be obtained by contacting Beverly Ewoldsen, Big Sur District, 667-2315, or Point Sur Lightstation Docent Program, Pfeiffer Big Sur State Park No. 1, Big Sur, CA 93920.

County seeking persons to serve on advisory committees

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The cutoff date for written responses is Friday, Jan. 4, 1991. Please direct responses to Robert Slimmon, Jr., director, Monterey County Planning & Building Inspection Department, P.O. Box 1208, Salinas, CA 93902. For telephone questions, please call 755-5025.

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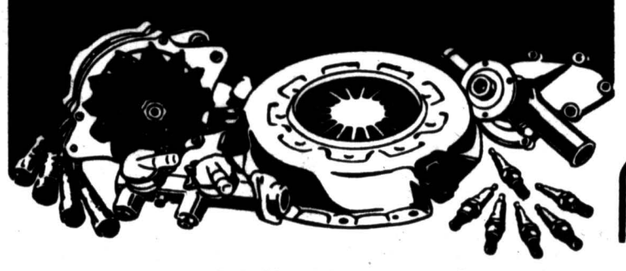

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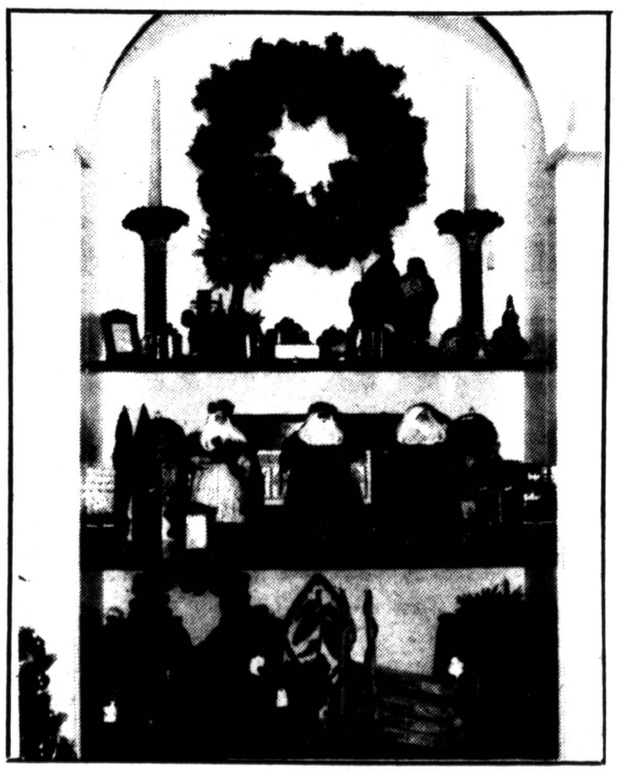

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CARMEL... AS I SEE IT

By Betty Barron

The Village's many "Christmas" trees

THEY ARE all around us.

Christmas in Carmel is a triumph of trees decorated by nature for the holidays.

In most of the country, early November brings a frost, nipping the leaves bare 'til spring. Here...long before Christmas, the liquid ambers' emerald leaves turn to gold, then to amber and russet and burgundys and burnished copper, clinging tenaciously to their slender branches. Our sidewalks gradually reflect these colors as some of the leaves drop reluctantly through December. But, many remain to greet the new year, and only surrender when new buds push their way into the sunshine.

Every year my flowering plum tree keeps most of its withered brown leaves until, on Christmas Day, one pale pink blossom bursts free and seems to pulse hesitantly, awaiting the new year. This year, in spite of our flurry of rain, I expect my plum tree and liquid amber to bravely weather the holidays.

One of the most magnificent of the ambers in Carmel is the stately tree on Dolores at the Village Corner. Another is the still wispy little tree on San Carlos and Sixth, framing Cottage Corner. Still another young amber glamorizes a small home on Dolores near Fourth...although the mid-sized ambers marching down Ocean Avenue are perhaps the most startling, as they intersperse the Monterey pines and add color to the background blues of sky and sea.

However, one of our most beautiful "Christmas" trees serenely surveys the activity at Carmel Plaza...an almost unreal "merry-go-round" tree named *rosaceae hawthorn*, a variation of *Crataegas*, a spiny shrub know to flower in spring. Here the tree flowers in late fall and

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LIQUID AMBER crash of color dominates the Village Corner. (Betty Barron photos.)

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Carmel As I See It

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through the winter, and can hardly be termed a shrub. It is both stately and impressive, a pink and green umbrella for the plaza.

Yes; we do have *traditional* Christmas trees in Carmel. The plaza tree is one of the loveliest, with Santa's reindeer leaping over its top most realisticaly. Another is our village tree at Ocean and Junipero, which welcomes visitors to our brightly lit shops and restaurants.

Those who linger long in Carmel to watch the sunsets find the graceful cypress trees along Scenic are dramatic companions. Burt, for the most spectacular sunsets through the trees, stand at the crest of a hill in Hatton Fields among the sturdy pines and let the skyline drop away as blue turns pink and mauve...and then to pale golds, then gray and blue-black.

Tahoe is the best. Start early so that you reach Auburn as the sun crests the mountains in the east. Soon you will be passing the slender trees in the foothills, now glistening like priceless crystal, frozen ice statues with traces of new-fallen snow. As you go higher, the evergreens are all around you, sugared with snow tufts, their broad branches heavily laden like miniature ski slopes.

When you reach the Truckee River, the stepping stones of snow islands seemingly caress the slate-blue water as it wanders along the valley. Cross one of the little bridges on foot and find a quiet spot under the trees, away from the roadway hum.

It is one way to really get the feel of Christmas!

And, when you return to Carmel, you won't be able to shed the snow of Christmas all at once. Little snowflakes will flicker down as you go about your day in Carmel. You may even see flakes filtering throught the liquid ambers.

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CYC NOTES

By Pat and Mike

Childhood memories

THE CHRISTMAS season brings back memories to all of us of our younger years. So since we write this article we thought we would enrapture you with some of our childhood Christmas memories. All that Mike can remember is getting up on Christmas day and going surfing, but we'll get back to him later.

One vivid memory is of a Christmas Eve storm. Growing up in Pennsylvania the winter weather was usually cold and bitter. But this particular year, the weather was quite warm and there wasn't a sign of snow anywhere.

In the middle of the night a front must have passed through, it caused tremendous gusts of wind, either that or Santa was using turbochargers on his sleigh. When we awoke in the morning everything outside was in shambles. The cherry tree in our backyard split in two and fell on our dog's doghouse, trapping her inside, and our basketball pole fell down, missing my grandfather's station wagon by inches.

You know it was kind of funny that my father always had to borrow my grandfather's station wagon on Christmas Eve. Most kids at Christmas run to see what is under their tree, but my brothers and sisters and I would check out the window first to make sure our grandfather's station wagon was there. Come to think of it as soon as the station wagon stopped showing up in the driveway, Santa stopped coming. I wonder if I should borrow my grandfather's car this year?

My poor dad had to wait for us to fall asleep on Christmas Eve so he could go get the car, load it up, drive it home, usually in a storm on icy roads. Then unload it, put together anything that needed putting together, and then finally getting to bed at 3 or 4 in the morning. Then of course we woke up at 5 a.m. and headed downstairs to see what Santa brought us. And who was the first person we had to tell what Santa brought? Why dad and mom of course. My dad used to mumble something under his breath at us and I never was sure what he was saying. But now that I'm a parent I think I'm pretty sure what he was saying was, "You will get yours someday when you have kids of your own." I bet my dad wakes up on Christmas morning and laughs to himself thinking about it.

Back to Mike, he remembers waking up on Christmas morning and looking under the tree for anything that resembled a surfboard, then grabbing his sandy wetsuit, and board, he headed to his favorite surf spot.

After paddling out through the 10-foot shore pound he dropped into a 15-foot sand-sucking monster and pulled in behind the curtain. He heard something that sounded like bells. He looked behind and saw a man in a bright red wetsuit with a long white beard. He then dropped in, in front of him, causing the man with the beard to wipe out. From that day on Mike never got anything from Santa again.

Now that we told you all about our childhood memories we'll tell you about some exciting things going on at the Carmel Youth Center.

First, there will be movies at the center during the holidays on Dec. 26, 27 and Jan. 2 and 3rd. Movies start at 1 p.m. and will cost $1. Movies are for kids 5 years old and up.

There will be a pool tournament on Dec. 26 at 3 p.m. and a ping pong tournament on Dec. 27 at 3 p.m. also. On the 29th there will be a pickleball tournament starting at 2 p.m. On Jan. 2 there is a foosball tournament and on the 3rd there will be a nine-ball tournament.

Holiday hours are noon to 8 p.m. from Dec. 26 to Jan. 4th. The center will be closed on Dec. 23, 24, 25. And Jan. 1.

In the finals of the peninsula hoopshoot competition, Carmel had four competitors. Matt Bedel took first place in the 8-9 age group, Michaela Hill first in the 12-13 girls age group, Amir Masliyah took second in the 12-13 boys age group and Adam Mayfield took third in the 10-11 boys age group. The winners advance to the regional finals. We'll keep you posted on how they're doing.

We also have four finalists in the peninsula Hot Shots basketball competition. They are Rhea Kelly, Amir Masliyah, Michael Yee, and Colter Bissel.

For any information on any Carmel Youth Center programs, you may call our number 624-3285. Have a Merry Christmas, we'll be back next year.

HOT SHOT contest winners included (left to right), Rhean Kelly, Amir Masliyah, Michael Yee and Colter Bissel.

HOOP SHOOT contest winners included (left to right), Amir Masliyah, Michaela Hill, Adam Mayfield, and Matt Bedel.

Nominate an outstanding woman

Do you know a woman who has made significant contributions to other's lives? The Monterey County Commission on the Status of Women wants to know. Nominations for the 1990 Outstanding Women of Monterey County Awards will be accepted now through Dec. 31.

The commission will honor those women selected in a ceremony on March 3, 1991.

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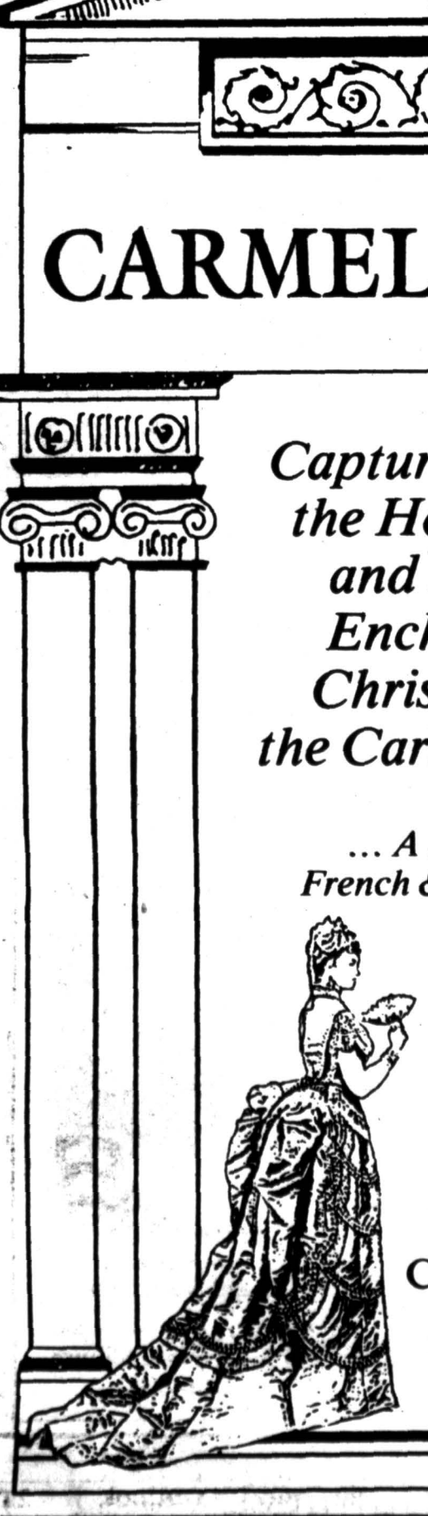

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CARMEL RIVER WATER NEWS

By Henrietta Stern

Year-end review

THE YEAR 1990 has been a full one for the water district staff, which is one reason you haven't heard from me in a while.. Today's column provides an update on the long-awaited water supply project EIR/EIS and other significant events that affect it.

NINE ALTERNATIVES ANALYZED

In 1990, significant progress was made on the district's water supply project EIR/EIS. The document will provide a comprehensive review of the benefits and impacts of the following nine alternatives.:

- 24,000 AF New Los Padres Reservoir (proposed project)
- 9,000 AF New Los Padres Reservoir and 3 MGD desalination
- 23,000 AF New San Clemente Reservoir
- 6,000 AF Cachagua Creek Reservoir and 3 MGD desalination
- 11,000 AF San Clemente Creek Reservoir with pumped storage
- 10,5000 AF Chupines Creek Reservoir with pumped storage
- 25,000 AF (?) Canada Reservoir with pumped storage
- 7 MGD desalination plant, likely on Monterey Bay
- No Project

All of the above projects include additional pumping capacity in the Seaside Coastal ground water subbasin.

CANADA RESERVOIR INCLUDED

The size of a Canada Reservoir is not yet known, but it will be determined by Cal-Am by the end of the year. Earlier this year, Cal-Am determined that it would not pursue a separate EIR/EIS with Monterey County; it agreed that the district's EIR/EIS is the document in which the Canada Reservoir project would be analyzed. The district and Cal-Am staff have been working together cooperatively on the Canada Reservoir project description as well as other elements of the EIR/EIS.

DESALINATION OPTIONS INCLUDED

Even though desalination is included in the EIR/EIS, its local feasibility has not been determined to a level of confidence to include it as a component with each alternative. Thus, it is combined with a representative mainstem and tributary reservoir.

In January 1991, the district will retain a consultant to complete an engineering feasibility study of seven potential sites, ranging from the PG&E plant at Moss Landing to the Carmel area. Based on the consultant's conclusions and cost estimates, the board will determine next summer whether a specific desalination project will be pursued. This information will be incorporated into the Final EIR/EIS.

PROJECT PURPOSE FOCUSES ON SUPPLY

In Summer 1990, the district amended its project purpose statement for the 404 permit to include only water supply for drought protection and planned growth. (Previously, the district purpose also included streamflow enhancement.) This action was taken at the urging of the Environmental Protection Agency and to be consistent with the single-purpose goals of the Canada Reservoir project.

It is important to note that environmental resource protection is a key mandate of the district, and will weigh heavily in our selection of the "overall preferred alternative." This is especially important since the Final EIR on the water allocation program determined that many significant adverse fishery and riparian impacts cannot be mitigated to a less than significant level unless adequate streamflow exists in the lower Carmel River.

VENTANA WILDERNESS EXCHANGE APPROVED

As you probably know from previous news articles, the district successfully achieved an amendment of the Ventana Wilderness boundary to allow construction of the proposed New Los Padres Project. In November 1990, President Bush signed Public Law 101-539, which includes a 23-for-140 acre land exchange if the New Los Padres project receives approval to be constructed. Earlier this year, the district led a letter-writing campaign in support of the land exchange. Your voices were heard in Washington, and we thank you!

SPRING DUE DATE

Giving "birth" to an EIR/EIS entails a very long gestation period. As of December 1990, all major reports are completed and are ready to be incorporated into rough draft chapters. Beginning January 1991, the district will fold the Canada Reservoir analyses into a rough draft document. The district goal is distribution of a completed Draft EIR/EIS for public review in May 1991. Since the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers functions as the lead agency (co-author) for the EIR/EIS under federal law, the document must meet their approval before it is distributed.

Learn to play chess

Chess instruction for beginners is offered on the first Wednesday of each month in the Monterey Public Library Community Room. Times are 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. The library is at 625 Pacific St., Monterey.

Enrollment is continuous and newcomers are always welcome. There are no fees. The program is sponsored by the instructor, Dr. Ed Stachowiak.

For additional information, call 624-7216.

Film classic at library

The Monterey Public Library will present the delightful musical-comedy *Singin' In The Rain*, starring Gene Kelly at 7 p.m. in the Library Community Room.

The library is located at 625 Pacific Street, Monterey. Admission is free. Details, call 646-3930.

Paul Masson wine tasting room

Carmel's favorite pianist *Jonathan Lee* will be at the Paul Masson Wine Tasting Room from 6 to 8 p.m. December 18.

He'll be autographing his cassette tapes and compact discs, and will be giving out free sample tapes of some of his music.

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The Paul Masson Wine Tasting Room is located at 700 Cannery Row, Monterey. Call 646-5446 for further info.

Learn how to become a 'Big Buddy'

The Buddy Program of the Monterey Peninsula, an agency that matches adult companions with children from single parent families, will conduct orientations the second Tuesday of every month. Orientations take place 7 to 9 p.m. at the Monterey Youth Center on Pearl Street (next to Dennis the Menace Park).

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THIS & THAT

By Florence Mason

Aloha!

IT SEEMED like a gift from the gods.'' That is how Marion Engstrom felt about the job she accepted in January 1971.

As she looks forward to her retirement – officially Dec. 31 – she would use the same words today. Even though that gift spelled very long hours, almost daily challenges. In the last two decades she has played a leading role in the transformation of Sunset Center from ''white elephant, '' as it was known in 1971, to today's ''jewel.''

Marion, her husband George and their children, came to this area from Southern California in 1958, seeking clear air for the particular benefit of an asthmatic child. They found that clean air, and a lifestyle that suited them so well that they bought property in Carmel Valley and developed plans for a home. Then George Engstrom's change of jobs (in research labs), took the family to Sacramento for six years. But when her husband died, it was to this area that Marion and her children returned. They reduced the original house plans somewhat, and in June, 1968, they made the move that Marion still thinks of as ''the best move I ever made.''

Before returning to this area, Marion had achieved a degree in business administration. She worked for a mutual fund house, and then in human resources research at the Presidio. It was an ad in a local paper that sealed her next 20 years' connection – an ad for city clerk in Carmel. Instead of that, however, she was steered into a position at Sunset Center. With her abiding interest in things cultural, especially music and art history, ''it was the right thing at the right time,'' she now recalls.

Frank Riley was hired at the same time, as director. ''It's true that Sunset was known as a white elephant,'' Marion said. It was frequently vandalized and was in a state of disrepair, without heat or adequate lighting. When Riley retired in 1977, he had been responsible for the development of the Marjorie Evans Gallery and several other rooms in the complex. There were new heating and electrical systems and programming had been extended to include dance and ''lively'' arts.

Marion Engstrom, hired as a secretary, became busier and busier, adding the tasks of booking performers, handling rentals of the various facilities at Sunset and the Scout House, coordinating activities at Forest Theater, working on the many contracts involved. With the advent of Richard Tyler as director in 1977, the scope of cultural activities in Carmel expanded still further. Rooms were renovated, programming stretched to an average of 162 night programs a year. ''As many as 180,000 people pass through here each year!'' Marion said.

No doubt because the atmosphere is so friendly and welcoming, Sunset Center often functions much like a chamber of commerce for the city of Carmel. People gravitate there for information about cultural activities, and much more – and it is often Marion Engstrom to whom visitors are referred. And those 180,000 people (the figure comes from a marketing survey) flock to the city's cultural facilities for Bach, symphonies, musical society presentations, dance, the galleries, Friends of Photography, drama, and so on – the list is varied and seemingly endless.

There have been crises. Marion recalls a European musical group that had the misfortune to be involved in a bus accident the day before they were to perform here. Musicians were injured, their instruments damaged. It fell to the Sunset Center staff to post notices of the cancellation, get the news out to the press, make necessary phone calls and provide refunds. It was accomplished.

A personal crisis that Marion also recalls occurred when she was first working with Frank Riley. ''Inadvertently, I double-booked,'' she said, smiling. ''Fortunately, I discovered that about six weeks before the date, and was able to get one group to change dates. But I had a week of sleepless nights!''

Always resourceful, and always willing to do whatever needs to be done, Marion had to roll up the skirt of her long evening dress on one occasion, and grab a mop. That was because of a plumbing problem during one Bach Festival performance in the early 1970's. She tried to get a plumber but the one she called was inebriated. This was a problem that could not be set aside for Monday morning! So up came her skirts and Marion mopped bathroom floors after the intermission and again at the end of the performance. Her approach to such challenges is the same today: ''It's fun to be a jack-of-all-trades, and to meet whatever comes up. I keep turning my head around to see what else has to be done.''

So why is Marion Engstrom leaving this job that has meant so much to her and absorbed so much of her time and energy for 20 years?

''I had an original goal of working 20 years for the city, and I've met that goal. With Brian Donaghue on board, I see nothing but a healthy Sunset Center ahead, well-managed and busier than ever with new types of programs reflecting his background, especially because of his interest in expanding programs for children.''

As it was the right time and the right place in 1971, so is it the right time now: ''I need to get my own house in order.''

And Marion turns to thank those who contributed to her satisfaction in the job, especially city staff. ''There have been many changes in city staff over the years. When I started it ws smaller, we could be more of a family. That's harder now, but both Doug Schmitz (city administrator), and Greg D'Ambrosio (assistant city administrator), have been wonderful, so helpful and understanding. The city is in good hands.''

The support she got from city staff during the past nine months when she was acting director was essential, Marion says. ''I couldn't have done it without them.'' During that difficult period, she was acting director and she was still the assistant to the director, with all her usual tasks. She booked events, traveled to conferences, ran the office and oversaw all the weekend and evening events. With a small smile, she said: ''It was a challenge and I feel I met it.''

Hear City Administrator Schmitz: ''She was outstanding, filling dual roles this year with her usual grace, charm and friendliness and with her dedication to the center and the arts; just what the city likes to have its employees project to the community. I'm sorry to see her leaving, but happy for her that she will have time to do the things she enjoys doing.''

Echoes Greg D'Ambrosio: ''She met the challenge and did the work with enthusiasm, great cheer, and love for the community.'

Well, Marion Engstrom doesn't own a rocking chair. She does have plans. ''I'm going to do some redecorating. I would like to do some political work, too. And even work part-time! But first I have to catch up on what I neglected during the last nine months.''

MARION ENGSTROM found herself quite adept with chopsticks during a 1986 trip to Hong Kong.

While her children were certainly not among things neglected, she does look forward to being able to be with them more. One son, Mark, died tragically in an automobile accident in 1977. The others are thriving, and have provided their mother with five grandchildren. Paul is a magazine editor in San Francisco, John an M.D. (neurologist and internist), at UCSF, and daughter Lynn an attorney in New Jersey. They prefer their mother's pies to cakes for birthdays and other occasions – yes, with candles. She'll have time for more cooking now and for traveling too. Greg D'Ambrosio comments on another of Marion's ''cultural'' interests: horticulture. ''I can see her going off into the sunset with garden tools in hand. No gloves – because she likes the feel of the soil.''

Marion Engstrom said that she didn't have any trepidation in accepting the role of acting director this year. ''I was concerned about keeping Sunset Center and our other facilities on an even keel. Sunset Center is now the jewel in the crown of Carmel and I didn't want anything to happen to it.''

How fortunate that Marion happened to the city of Carmel 20 years ago, and accepted each challenge that came her way. Hail and farewell, indeed, I'm sure she will find ways to go on contributing her time and talents to our city. She always has.

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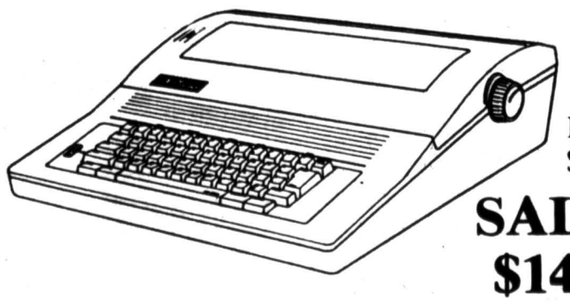

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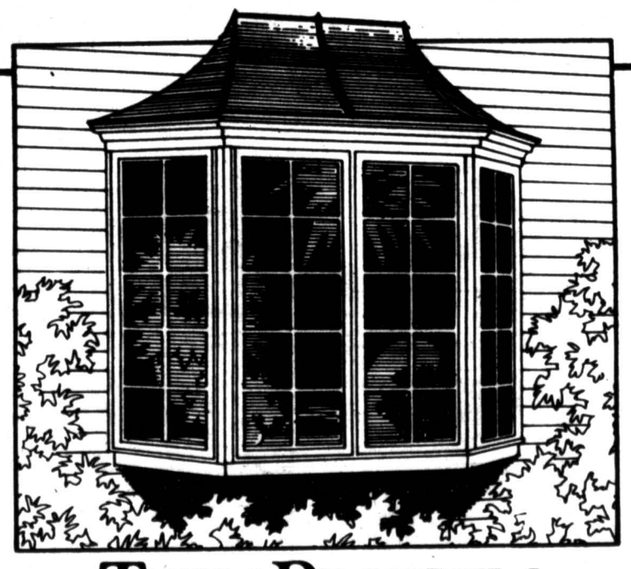

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BUSINESS BEAT

By David Leland

Don't call him a has-Bean!

CARMEL AREA resident and former head of the Monterey Film Festival, David Bean, has joined forces with Monterey film distributor Kit Parker to serve as managing partner for Kit Parker Video.

Kit Parker Video is a new retail home video label specializing in mass interest titles at sell-through pricing.

"We have a proven product in the hands of industry veterans," said Bean, who served as president of Pacific Arts between 1981-85. "Most of our titles have already sold in the tens of thousands through telemarketing."

When with Pacific Arts, Bean oversaw the release of titles such as *Elephant Parts* and *My Dinner With Andre*.

From 1985 to the present he has been a business consultant in the entertainment industry whose clients have included Paul McCartney's MPL Communications and Leo Kottke's Round Wound Sound.

He also publishes the Personal Action Guide for the United Nations Environment Programme.

Monterey County Bank news...Jeffery Walbeck, senior VP, has been promoted to regional branch manager and will manage the bank's Carmel Rancho Branch.

Walbeck has been with the bank since mid-1989 and has 20 years of banking experience.

A graduate of Fresno State University, Walbeck has been involved in many community activities and currently serves as president of the Economic Development Corp. of Monterey County.

Also, Fred Rowden, president of the bank, has been elected to a two-year term on the board of directors of the Affordable Housing Corp. of Monterey County.

The Affordable Housing Corp. is a non-profit agency formed last year to purchase existing substandard, multi-familiy rental units to remodel as low-cost housing.

And finally, but not least, Joan Rankin has been selected by the directors and officers of the bank as employee of the year for 1990.

Rankin serves as a secretary in the loan department of the bank's Monterey Office.

Real estate tidbit...Robin Snider, previously with Henrietta Realty, has joined the Coldwell Banker Residential real estate office in Carmel.

Snider attended Cazenovia College in New York and earned her license in 1989. She specializes in residential and land sales.

More banking news...First National Bank of Monterey County has announced the appointment of Joan Siebert-Brunn to the position of vice president, managing officer for the new Carmel Valley office scheduled for a June opening.

Siebert-Brunn comes to First National with more than 23 years of experience with Security Pacific Bank. She most recently served as vice president and manager of Security Pacific's Monterey branch.

The gods would be proud...Greek Taverna – formerly the Stickey Wicket – has opened its doors, featuring Greek cuisine to suit the tastebuds of the adventureous and not-so adventureous food lover.

Owner and chef Evangelos Kazantizides brings with him 20 years of experience in the food-service industry.

The Greek Taverna, located on Dolores Street a few steps south of Ocean, offers daily lunch and dinner specials in addition to its extensive menu. A sampling includes moussaka, spinach pie, stuffed vine leaves and Greek salad.

La Playa news...Susan Racanelli has been named director of sales for La Playa Hotel.

Her responsibilities include developing and carrying out the hotel's marketing program, managing the sales and catering staffs and overseeing advertising, promotion and public relations activities.

Racenelli has more than nine years of marketing and management experience as well as extensive knowledge of the area.

Before joining La Playa, she was director of sales for the Inns of Monterey, a group of three luxury hotels.

County Bank news...MCB has announced that Jeffery Walbeck, senior VP, has been promoted to regional branch manager and will manage the bank's Carmel Rancho Branch.

SUSAN RACANELLI has been named Director of Sales for La Playa Hotel in Carmel.

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ANDREW WHITACRE has been appointed sales manager of Carmel Valley Ranch Resort. Since joining the resort a year ago, Whitacre has been involved in guest services and most recently served as conference services manager. In his new position he will be involved with corporate sales in the Silicon Valley and Southern California. (Photo courtesy of Carmel Valley Ranch Resort.)

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CONCERNED SENIORS TO MEET DEC. 20

The Concerned Senior Citizens Monterey Peninsula Club will hold its Christmas party at 1:30 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 20 in the Community Room of the Monterey Public Library, 625 Pacific St., Monterey.

Entertainment will include Christmas carols by Monterey High School Chamber Choir under director George Bowers, a Christmas story by Joann Branson, exchange of gifts, and refreshments. For more information, call 375-4472.

BAND ALUMNI TO HOLD REUNION DEC. 23

Carmel High School Band alumni will hold a reunion from 2 to 6 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 23 at the Carmel Valley Community Chapel.

All former students of Henry Avila are welcome to attend the reunion. For more information, call David Dally at 625-5179.

COMMUNITY HOLIDAY DINNER SCHEDULED

The Community Holiday Dinner Committee announces the Fifth Annual Christmas Dinner to be held in the Monterey Room at the Monterey Fairgrounds on Dec. 25, Christmas Day.

The buffet is from noon until 4 p.m. A traditional Christmas dinner with all the trimmings is prepared, at no charge and is open to the public.

As is our tradition, families and individuals can come with traditional dishes for themselves and to share with others. Flatware and plates may also be brought.

There will be live music, Santa Claus and games for the children. This all day event, for the members of the Monterey Peninsula, visitors, military, lonely, hungry, and needy, is an opportunity for the whole peninsula family to join together in a celebration of Christmas.

Since we are an all-volunteer organization, we rely on volunteers and donatios in order to provide our dinner. Please contact committee members at one of these numbers: 394-4445, 655-3437, and 659-5448.

NOEL MAPSTED LEADS HATTON CANYON HIKES

Hikes through the Hatton Canyon area will be led every Sunday until the end of the year by Carmel environmentalist Noel Mapsted.

Mapsted will discuss the natural diversity of the canyon, including the native Monterey pine stands, wetlands and habitat of Hickman's onion. The walk will entail the entire proposed Hatton Canyon Freeway route.

Participants should meet at 11 a.m. behind the Bank of America on Rio Road (next to Baker's Square restaurant), to carpool to Carpenter Street where the hike will start.

The hike goes one-way down Hatton Canyon, all downhill for about 2.5 miles. Hikers should wear boots or sturdy shoes and bring a bag lunch. The hike, which should be over by 2 p.m., will take place rain or shine.

The hikes are free and sponsored by the Ventana Chapter of the Sierra Club.

Dates for the remaining hikes are: Dec. 23 and 30.

For more information call Mapsted at 624-3263.

CRA SEEKING CITIZEN OF THE YEAR NOMINATIONS

The Carmel Residents Association is seeking nominations for their Citizen of the Year award to be presented at the third annual Citizen of the Year Celebration at the Scout House from 3-5 p.m. Sunday, Feb. 10.

Any interested citizen or organization is urged to send a nomination, along with a brief discussion of the nominee's qualifications, by Jan. 4, to: CRA, P.O. Box 13, Carmel, CA 93921.

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"Little Buddies" will be enjoying an extra special Christmas this year thanks to Garden Health & Fitness and peninsula residents through a special Holiday Gift Exchange.

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For more information, call Grace at 546-0550.

UPCOMING ACTIVITIES AT BETHLEHEM LUTHERAN CHURCH

On Sunday, Dec. 23 at 10:30 a.m. worship service at Bethlehem Lutheran Church a special Christmas program and worship, "God's Christmas Rainbow," led by the children of the congregation will be held. Later on that day at 4 p.m. the congregation will gather for house-to-house caroling.

The Christmas Eve family service with traditional carols, candlelight, a bell choir and soloist will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, Dec. 24.

Band-tastic!

THE CARMEL Middle School Band provided holiday music at the Carmel Plaza for shoppers and merchants Dec. 14. Among those playing in the band were (top), Rebecca Croll-Donahoe on alto sax, and Joseph Thomas on percussion; and (left to right), Stephanie Thorn (flute), Miles Nielsen (sax), Rebecca Croll-Donahoe (sax), Brooks Foster (sax), Vicki Phillips (sax), and Angela Updyke (front, on flute).

The Christmas Day Festival Service with Holy Communion, bell choir and other special music will be at 10:30 a.m., Dec. 25.

On Sunday, Dec. 30 a festive Chorale Service with Holy Communion will be held at 10:30 a.m.

The Epiphany Festival of Lights will be at 10:30 a.m., Sunday, Jan. 6.

TOYS BEING COLLECTED FOR FRC KIDS

Now through Dec. 21, unwrapped children's toys are being collected in the lobby of the Monterey Plaza Hotel for eventual distribution to the children of the Family Resource Center. Toys are also being collected at Toasties Cafe, Glovers Shell, Monterey Nissan Subaru, the Edgewater Packing Co., Jena of Monterey and Tony's Auto & Smog.

The Spirit of Christmas is off to a joyous start as representatives from the Monterey Jaycees, KCON Radio, Family Resource Center and Monterey Plaza Hotel were joined by Monterey Mayor Dan Albert and other local dignitaries for the fifth annual tree lighting on Nov. 30.

The Family Resource Center is dedicated to the welfare of children and families through programs and services designed to promote good relationships, communication skills and self-esteem of each family member.

ELKS ANNUAL HOOP SHOOT COMPETITION

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Meeting of the minds

REP. LEON Panetta chatted with former 49er head coach Bill Walsh during a break in the action at a book-signing being conducted by Walsh for his new book *Building A Champion* at the Doubletree Hotel in Monterey, a benefit for Multiple Sclerosis Community Services. Both men have been called geniuses in their respective fields, Walsh for taking the lowly 49ers and building them into world champions and Panetta for his skills with numbers and the nation's budget as chairman of the all-important House Budget Committee. (Chuck Scardina photo.)

PINE WHISPERS

group 8 through 13 years was held Dec. 15th at the Monterey Peninsula College gymnasium. The peninsula intra-city winners were:

Boys - (8 - 9)

1st - Matthew Bedell	Carmel
2nd - Joey Goldman	Monterey
3rd - Ken Banazer	Pacific Grove

Boys - (10 - 11)

1st - Gary Trout	Monterey
2nd - Coleman Peiffer	Pacific Grove
3rd - Adam Mayfield	Carmel

Boys - (12 - 13

1st - Michael Jackson	Pacific Grove
2nd - Amir Masliyah	Carmel
3rd - Chris Marcus	Monterey

Girls - (10 - 13)

1st - Chrystal Mothershead	Pacific Grove
2nd - Eva Real	Monterey

Girls - (12 - 13)

1st - Michaela Hill	Carmel
2nd - Katy Bolthouse	Pacific Grove

First Place winners of the intra-city playoff's will compete against other winners from the West Central District at the district finals to be held in Salinas on Jan. 26, 1991.

Winners of the district finals will progress to the Northern California finals in Carmichael, California. Expenses will be defrayed by the Elks Lodge.

CARMEL RESIDENT HONORED WITH BROADCASTING AWARD

Carmel resident **Bob March,** KWAV 97 news director, was honored by the National Academy of Television Arts and Sciences in San Francisco.

March was presented with the academy's Silver Circle award, which is given to persons with 25 years in the broadcasting field who have made a significant contribution to the medium.

March was the creator, writer and star of the children's television program, *Captain Satellite* seen on KTVU in the '60s. He has also been a teacher in the broadcast department at San Francisco State University and Laney College in Oakland.

March, and his wife Dr. Alice March reside in Carmel.

SHOPPING SPREE GOES TO CHARITY

Marsha Hardy won a prize drawing for a five-minute grocery run at Albertson's supermarket in Carmel Rancho from the Professional Women's Network of the Monterey Peninsula's.

The food Hardy was able to gather at the Dec. 14 dash, was donated to the Family Resource Center.

The drawing proceeds sponsored a woman re-entering the work place and was awarded to: Holli Leafe in September at the Professional Women's Network eighth birthday party.

BANK OF AMERICA AND USMC TEAM UP IN TOYS FOR TOTS

Bank of America will team up with the United States Marine Corps Reserve to support the annual Toys for Tots campaign.

As an official sponsor of the Corps' 43rd annual Toys for Tots program, Bank of America will open its more than 825 California branches as collection sites for toys, ensuring that hundreds of thousands of needy youngsters will not be disappointed on Christmas morning.

Beginning immediately, anyone can donate toys at any Bank of America branch. All toys must be new and not gift-wrapped. On Dec. 21, the 23 USMC Reserve units in California will make the final pickup of toys from all collection sites. The final phase – distribution of toys – is conducted under the auspices of recognized social welfare agencies.

"Bank of America is proud to participate in this outstanding program which has brought joy to millions of needy children," said Rosie McHale, manager of Bank of America's Carmel Center Branch. "We hope to encourage large numbers of people to join in the spirit of giving, and have provided convenient dropoff sites for their toy contributions."

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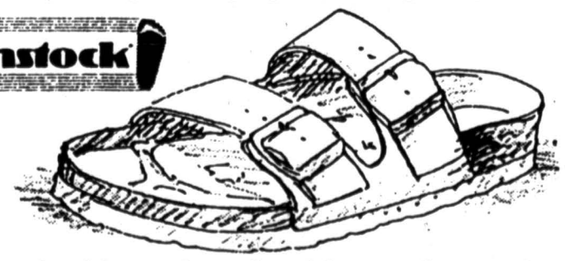
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REALTORS' CANDY CANES BENEFIT SENIORS AND BATTERED WOMEN

One of the most popular Christmas benefits staged every year in the Carmel area, the Christmas Candy Cane Project, is being held again this year for the ninth year in a row.

Sponsored by the Carmel Board of Realtors, the Candy Cane Project is a drive to obtain donations of inexpensive Christmas gifts to brighten the Christmas holiday for those who it would otherwise be a bleak day.

The beneficiaries are senior citizens belonging to the Carmel Foundation, and the YWCA's Emergency Shelter for battered women and their children. The project is chaired this year by realtor Susan Silver.

Carol Winningham, last year's co-chair who has been with the project since its inception in 1982, says: "I can't begin to tell you what this project means to the two organizations we serve. The people from the foundation and the YWCA have tears in their eys when we give them the presents we have collected."

Here's how it works: Gaily decorated baskets of peppermint candy canes are placed in the lobbies of nine Carmel-area banks, next to their Christmas trees. Each cane bears a tag suggesting a present to buy, costing under $5.

The bank customer buys and wraps the present, and brings it to the bank to be placed under the tree. Just before Christmas, all the presents are gathered up and given to the two beneficiary organizations.

The participating firms are: Coast Savings, Carmel, Carmel Valley and Pebble Beach branches; First Interstate Bank, Carmel and Carmel Rancho branches; Pacific Western Bank, Carmel; and Security Pacific Bank, Carmel.

"Last year," says Winningham, "the foundation had 96 seniors as guests for its annual Christmas dinner, and we had gifts for Santa to distribute to every one. They had a wonderful time.

"On the same day, a lady came from the YWCA to pick up our gifts for the shelter. We had enough to fill her station wagon. She said, 'I can't believe you folks are doing this for us.'"

Presents for seniors could be household items, coffee mugs, stamps, stationery, jams and jellies. Gifts for women and children – who often have to flee their homes on a moment's notice, taking nothing with them – could be cosmetics, toilet articles, and toys.

"The Christmas Candy Cane Project is unique to the Carmel area – and once again it will brighten what might otherwise be a sad Christmas for some of our neighbors," Winningham says.

CARMEL STUDENT STUDYING IN SPAIN

Paul Wagstaff of Carmel, a junior international relations major at The College of Wooster (Ohio), is studying in Madrid, Spain, this semester. Wagstaff is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Reid Wagstaff of Carmel.

As an integral part of its liberal arts education, The College of Wooster offers off-campus study programs every semester to countries in Asia, Africa, Europe, Australia and North and South America. More than 60 students are involved this semester. The students have a choice of selecting programs sponsored by Wooster as well as by other institutions. They can also create their own program to satisfy individual needs. The courses range from political science to language studies, theological courses to business internships. Students can earn credit toward their Wooster degree.

The College of Wooster, founded in 1866, is an independent liberal arts institution with a rich tradition of academic excellence.

LOCAL AMERICAN HEART ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES REACH THOUSANDS

The American Heart Association, Central Mission Trails Chapter, has released information on the activities of the local Monterey Peninsula Branch.

According to Rick Davis, executive director, more than 10,000 residents on the Monterey Peninsula were directly reached by one or more of the local programs sponsored by the American Heart Association (AHA).

"The AHA sponsors a variety of programs throughout the peninsula, targeting audiences from pre-school children through senior citizens" says Jim Valentine, president of the Monterey Peninsula branch. "The activities include school-site kits used in several elementary and middle schools; nutrition activities that take place in grocery stores and at senior citizen sites; the 'Gourmet Art for the Heart' restaurant recipe contest that recently occurred at the Highlands Inn and the CPR training, just to name a few."

Latest statistics show that 43 percent of all deaths in Monterey county are a result of cardiovascular diseases and stroke. The above programs represent only a small part of the AHA's effort in combating these diseases.

For additional information on the American Heart Association and what local activities are currently taking place, call 757-6221 or 800/640-4640.

PROGRAM USES RECYCLING TO SUPPORT MARCH OF DIMES AND NEWBORN HEALTH

Now Monterey and Santa Cruz county residents recycling at a 20/20 Recycle Center can support the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation when they recycle. Randy Gusikoski of 20/20 Recycle Centers announced that through May 1991, the company is conducting a campaign to encourage recyclers to donate the recycling coupons they receive to the March of Dimes. The full cash value of the recycling coupon will go to the March of Dimes to support the Campaign for Healthier Babies.

Consumers receive a coupon which can be redeemed for cash or merchandise when they recycle aluminum, glass or plastic beverage containers at a 20/20 Recycle Center.

"We're happy to be working with the March of Dimes. We hope the campaign will help increase recycling awareness and participation in California," said Gusikoski, "while giving people an imaginative way to support the many worthwhile programs the March of Dimes conducts on behalf of children."

The campaign is funded in part by a California Department of Conservation Division of Recycling program aimed at increasing consumer recycling.

Rob Lucas, March of Dimes spokesman, noted that the recycling donations will be spent on March of Dimes programs that directly impact California children. The March of Dimes funds community programs providing prenatal care and counseling for mothers, he said, as well as nutrition programs for pregnant women and newborn infants. The March of Dimes also works alongside the state government on the California Birth Defects Monitoring Program to collect and analyze data and conduct studies on a wide range of birth defects in children born in California. The program is the largest of its kind in the world.

20/20 Recycle Centers, with over 500 locations throughout California, is the state's largest consumer recycler. The company's recycling centers are located on parking lots at selected grocery stores and feature brightly colored, igloo-shaped recycling bins. The centers provide a convenient way for consumers to receive a refund for aluminum, glass and plastic beverage containers marked "CA Refund Value." Interested recyclers may call toll free for the nearest 20/20 Recycle Center 1-800-229-7074.

MONTEREY COUNTY JAILS RECEIVE HEALTH CARE ACCREDITATION

The Monterey County Adult Detention Facilities health care services have been awarded a two-year accreditation by the California Medical Association for meeting medical standards for jail health care, the CMA announced.

Developed by the American Medical Association, the standards cover 56 aspects of administration, care and treatment, personnel, pharmacy, medical records and medical-legal concerns.

"Monterey is to be congratulated for meeting these jail health standards despite funding limitations since the passage of Proposition 13 in 1978," said CMA President Charles W. Plows, MD.

"The jail, its staff and the local community all benefit when a jail's health care is found to meet standards developed by the medical profession. Implementation of these standards results in more effective health care delivery, greater cost efficiency and better overall health protection for the community," he added.

Monterey County, which has two facilities, entered the CMA Jail Accreditation program in 1983 and was awarded its first accreditation in 1985. Since then, the staff have worked diligently to maintain these standards.

Evaluations of jail health services under the CMA accreditation program are conducted by practicing physicians who are members of the CMA's Corrections and Detentions Health Care Committee and special survey teams composed of doctors with experience in jail medicine.

The California Medical Association, a voluntary professional association of 34,000 physicians, began its jail health program in 1979 in cooperation with the AMA by offering on-site review and consultation to California jails seeking national accreditation. Since then, the CMA has greatly expanded its services by providing survey teams, training for jail staffs and issuing guidelines for pharmaceuticals and detoxification in jails.

Only 10 other jails in California are accredited through the CMA-Assisted program. Six other counties are seeking accreditation.

Accreditiation is voluntary and meeting the standards ensures increased efficiency and decreased potential for lawsuits. Accreditation also gives the sheriff an added tool to measure jail operations, according to Tracy A. Thompson, MD, chairperson of the CMA Corrections & Detentions Health Care Committee.

"BIG BUDDY" ORIENTATION SCHEDULED

The Buddy Program of the Monterey Peninsula, an agency that matches adult companions with children from single-parent families holds monthly orientations the second Wednesday of every month from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Monterey Youth Center on Pearl Street (next to Dennis the Menace Park).

This is an opportunity for those interested in volunteering with the Buddy Program to learn more about the roles, responsibilities, and rewards of being a "Big Buddy." 649-0276.

FLYING DOCTORS MEET EVERY MONTH

The Flying Doctors (also known as Los Medicos Voladores), is a local, non-profit group that provides medical care to small villages in Mexico. It consists of volunteers and is run by private donations. The monthly meetings are held the second Tuesday of every month and are open to the public. Call 375-9232 for more information.

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Torah study on Saturday at 10 a.m. with Shabbat services at 11 a.m.

First Friday of every month, a family service is held additionally at 7:30 p.m.

The congregation is located at 5716 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel.

Sunday, Dec. 23

ALL SAINTS' EPISCOPAL CHURCH

There will be Holy Communion with Sermon at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Choral Evensong at 5:30 p.m.

Christmas Eve, Mon. Dec. 24 at 5:30 p.m. Children's service with communion; 10 p.m. carol singing; 10:30 p.m. traditional Christmas service.

On Christmas Day there will be Holy Communion with sermon.

Wednesday Singles Support Group at 7:15 p.m.

Sunday School for kindergarten through fifth-grade at 10 a.m. Adult Rector's Forum at 9 a.m. Sunday School for Juniors and Seniors at 9 a.m. Senior High Youth will meet at 7 p.m.

Childcare provided for all services.

The church is located at Ninth and Dolores, Carmel.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH OF CARMEL

The Rev. Andrew Strachan will preach the sermon at the 11 a.m. service.

Tuesdays' "7:01" is for all Junior High Youth and begins at 7:01 p.m. High School Bible Study Wednesday evening at 7 p.m.; both led by Youth Pastor Casey Jones.

First Baptist Church of Carmel is at 8340 Carmel Valley Road at Schulte Road.

CARMEL VALLEY COMMUNITY CHAPEL

The service will be at 10:30 a.m. for this Fourth Sunday of Advent.

On Christmas Eve, Mon. Dec. 24, there will be a candlelight service at 11 p.m.

Sunday School at 10:30 a.m. Middle School Youth Group 6-7:30 p.m., High School Youth Group, 5:30-7 p.m. on first and third Sundays.

The chapel is located on the corner of Paso Hondo Road and Village Drive, Carmel Valley. Coffee hour and refreshments follow the services. Nursery available.

CARMEL CHURCH OF RELIGIOUS SCIENCE

Rev. Patricia-Alyce Parker will preach the Sunday topic *The Coming of Christ – The Realization at the 11 a.m. service.*

Christmas Candlelight Service Sun. Dec. 23, 7-8 p.m. at the American Legion Post No. 512 located at Dolores near Eighth. Fellowship follows.

Potluck, after services, first Sunday of the month. Wednesday evening healing Meditation 7-8 p.m. Public invited.

All activities are held at the Sanctuary, Carmel American Legion, Dolores and Eighth, Carmel.

CARMEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Dr. Mark Labberton will preach the sermon Christmas Presence at the 8:15, 9:30 and 11 a.m services. Sunday School for all ages at 9:30 a.m.

Christmas Eve Service, Mon. Dec. 24 at 6:30 p.m. Candlelight and carol services at 9:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. There will be no service Christmas Day.

Families are encouraged to worship together at the services. Nursery care provided all services. The church is at Ocean and Junipero, Carmel.

CHURCH IN THE FOREST

The Rev. Lamont Wiltsee will preach the sermon at the 9:30 a.m. service.

The church is located at Stevenson School, Forest Lake Road in Pebble Beach.

THE CHURCH OF THE WAYFARER UNITED METHODIST CHURCH

The Rev. Brandon Austin will preach the sermon *Gifts that Keep Giving – Providence From Stigmata to Serendipity* at one service only – 10 a.m.

Child care available at both services.

Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.

Church of the Wayfarer is located on Lincoln & Seventh, Carmel. Nursery care is provided.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE

The subject of the lesson-sermon will be *Is the Universe Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force* with Golden Text *Revelation 19:6*, to be held at First Church of Christ, Scientist, Monte Verde and Fifth, Carmel.

The service is at 10 a.m. with Sunday School at the same hour. Wednesday evening testimonial meeting is at 8 p.m. Child care provided for all services.

COMMUNITY CHURCH OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA

The Rev. Ronald G. Barton will deliver the sermon at the 10:30 a.m. service.

A coffee hour follows morning worship. Church school for children is at 10:30 a.m. Nursery care is provided.

The church is a mile east of Highway 1 on Carmel Valley Road.

EMMANUEL FELLOWSHIP

Pastor Reese Mayo will bring the morning message at Emmanuel Fellowship (Foursquare Church). Service is held at 10 a.m. at the Steinbeck Forum at Monterey Conference Center in Monterey.

Nursery care is provided for all gatherings. Home Bible studies are held Tuesday and Wednesday nights. Call 646-0121 for more information.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD (CARMEL CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP)

Rev. Kevin Grimes will preach the word of God at the 10:30 a.m. service.

Sunday School (ages 4-12), following worship. Bible study Wednesday at 7 p.m. Nursery care provided Sunday.

Located in the scout house on the corner of Mission and Eighth in Carmel. Visitors welcome. Call 624-9302.

MONTEREY PENINSULA FRIENDS MEETING (QUAKER)

Silent meeting for worship Sunday, 9:30 a.m. at the O'Donnell Library, 155 Van Buren, Monterey. Everyone invited. 625-1761 or 649-8946.

ST. DUNSTAN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

The Rev. James W. Brock will preach the sermon at the 8 and 10 a.m. services. Sunday and nursery school at 10 a.m. Nursery care provided. Coffee hour after the 10 a.m. service.

The church is located on Robinson Canyon Road in Carmel Valley.

ST. PHILIP'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

The Rev. Roy Blumhorst will deliver the sermon at the 9 a.m. service. Holy Communion will be celebrated the first and third Sundays of the month. Service for the hearing impaired the second Sunday of the month.

St. Philip's Lutheran Church is located at 8065 Carmel Valley Road near Schulte Road, Carmel Valley. Coffee hour follows the services.

UNITARIAN

The Rev. Fred Keip will preach the sermon *You'll Be Glad At That Star* at 11 a.m.

Nursery care during service hours.

The Monterey Peninsula Unitarian Church is at Aguajito Road at the intersection of Highway 1 and Highway 68, Carmel.

UNITY CHURCH OF THE MONTEREY PENINSULA

The Rev. Stretton Smith will give a Christmas Sunday lesson at the 11 a.m. service. A Fellowship buffet will follow.

Christmas Eve service, Mon. Dec. 24 at 7:30 p.m.

Unity Church is located at Carpenter Hall in Sunset Center, on Mission St. between Eighth & 10th, Carmel.

KOREAN BUDDHIST SAMBOSA

Sineunm Hyonsuk Lee will deliver the sermon at 11 a.m. Daily meditation classes from 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. and from 7 to 8 p.m. The Korean Buddhist Sambosa is located at 28110 Robinson Canyon Road, Carmel Mid-Valley.

ZEN

The Monterey Bay Zen Center conducts meditation and services every Tuesday at 7 p.m., followed by a Dharma lecture at 8 p.m.

Sobun Katherine Thanas gives meditation instruction at 6:15 p.m. the second Tuesday of each month.

The Zen Center meets at the Cherry Foundation, Fourth & Guadalupe, Carmel.

FATHER FARRELL'S WISDOM

Pray for peace

From Dec. 30, 1982
Carmel Pine Cone

A year ago, I visited Mexico for the Fiesta de Nuestra Senora de Guadalupe. I stayed on for Christmas and the feast of Los Tres Reyes (Epiphany).

There was an abundance of colored lights, Posadas and Pastorelas with songs and costumes from the 16th and 17th Centuries, but most spectacular, were the "Fuegas artificiales." The fireworks were as spectacular and as dangerous as only Mexicans can make them.

Perhaps our local homes, instead of holly wreaths with Tom Brown's "peace," should have wreaths with the words "dangerous explosives within." For example, "peace" reigns until dad finds out that mother has given his favorite easy chair and worn-out slippers to Goodwill and replaced them with new ones.

The explosion is heard all the way to Chualar. The females of the family have deicded that peace on earth to men of good will does not apply to them. The angels did not sing peace to persons, so the admonition excludes them. The household is anything but a "silent night."

The list of potential explosions goes one and on with naggers, pouters, and agitators who set off quarrels and sit back to enjoy the bursting rockets that light up the sky. It is not the star of Bethlehem.

Oh, Christ Child of peace in your humble crib, grant our homes true and lasting peace and tranquility. Deliver us from all family fireworks. It takes such a small spark to ignite them. Oh Lord, help us to keep your love and kindness aglow in our homes these holidays and throughout 1983. Only you can supply us with this kind of fire insurance at the right premium.

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The Golden Years

By Myles Williams

When she isn't traveling, appearing in benefits, autographing her latest biography or going to lunch with friends, acress Helen Hayes enjoys life at age 90 in her Victorian house, "Pretty Penny," in Nyack, New York, close to the Hudson River. It's been her home for 60 years and the water quality of the Hudson is one of her "causes."

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Ms. Hayes cites "one great advantage" she has had — "the quality of listening to people. I've always been a director's delight. Acting takes concentration, obedience, discipline and an open mind to people's advice. I like being told what to do — although I don't always do it."

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Child-resistant safety caps on medications are credited with saving many young lives since the caps were introduced in the early 1970s. But they prove too resistant for many elderly people. New designs for caps are being developed. And the Federal Consumer Product Safety Commission has been asked to require testing of caps by people over 60. Until now only adults up to 45 have been involved in testing the caps.

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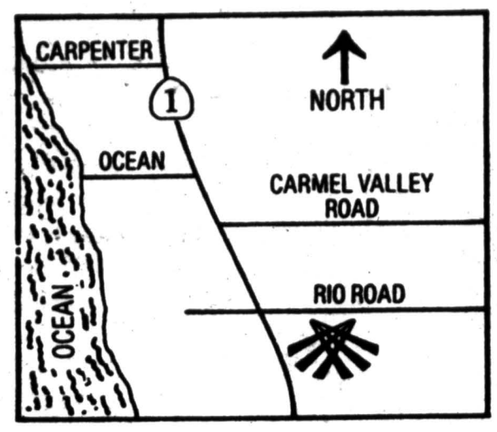

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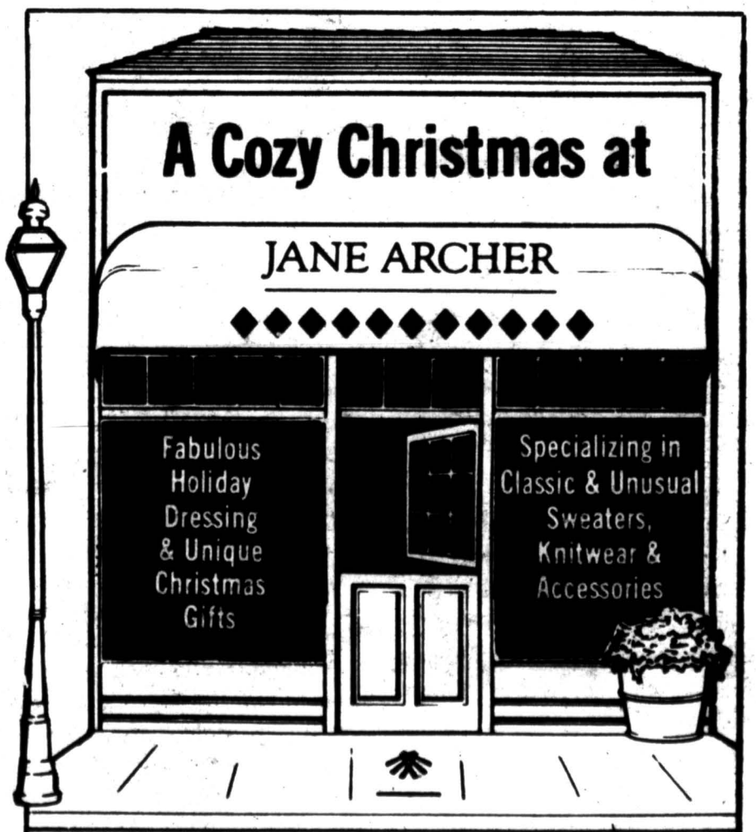

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'Speaking poet' Ric Masten will present free concert for kids

RIC MASTEN will give a concert of poetry-in-song for children at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 22 at Thunderbird for Kids. Admission is free.

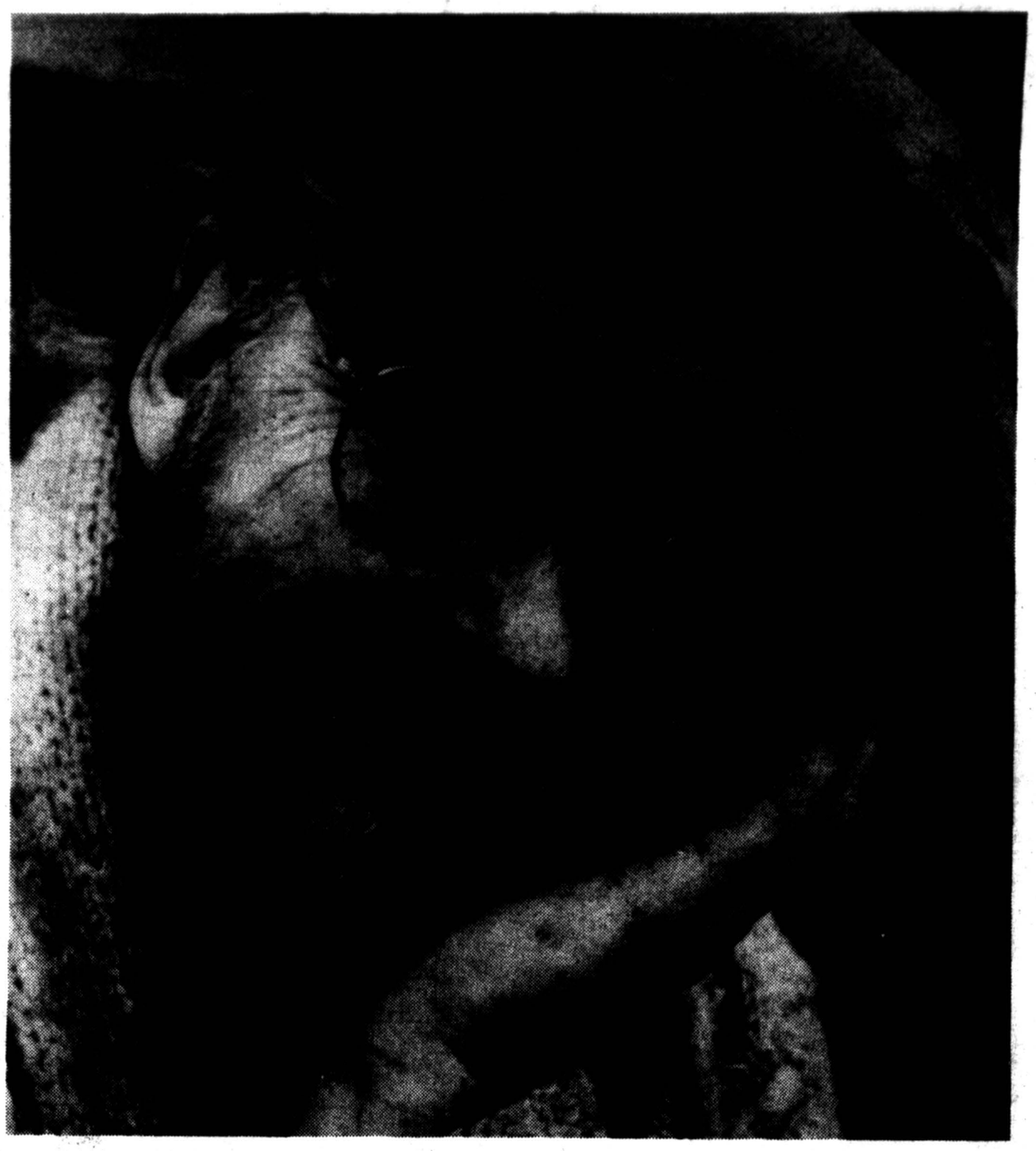
Masten will perform a selection of poems and song lyrics from *Notice Me*. A book for "parents, students, faculty and friends."

One reviewer stated, "It has been said that Ric Masten is something like a stand-up comic, something like a seat-of-the-pants philosopher and something like a folksinger. A sort of Will Rogers, Ogden Nash and Pete Seeger all rolled into one." This book is a collection of his writings, raps and song lyrics.

Masten writes for every age group, from kindergarten to teenagers to adults. He has performed in hundreds of schools, and has given readings, concerts and workshops throughout the country. His work addresses the lonliness and joy everyone, of all ages, experience.

Masten says his favorite audience is made up of people who would normally regard an hour with a poet as "cruel and unusual punishment." His readings reflect a spontaneity that makes every program different and gives the audience the sense of being engaged in conversation rather than watching a one-man show.

Thunderbird for Kids is located in The Barnyard off Highway 1 and Carmel Valley Road. For more information, call 624-4995.



SINGING POET Ric Masten will give a free concert of poetry-in-song for children at 11 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 22 at the Thunderbird for Kids at The Barnyard shopping center. For information, call 624-4995.

ARTS & LEISURE

Star chefs hone culinary skills for March of Dimes Gourmet Gala

SOME OF the most prestigious names in food and wine have agreed to judge the dishes prepared by celebrity chefs at the 1991 March of Dimes Gourmet Gala, scheduled for Jan. 26 at the Sheraton Monterey Hotel.

This year's judging team includes Bert Cutino, co-owner of the award-winning Sardine Factory restaurant in Monterey and Certified Executive Chef member of the American Academy of Chefs; design and cookbook author Lee Bailey; James Berrien, executive vice president of American Express Publishing Corp.; Don Ferch, owner, Contemporary Catering in Monterey; Joachim Splichal, owner-chef of the acclaimed Patina Restaurant in Hollywood; Rene Verdon, former executive chef at the White House under President John F. Kennedy.

Theme of the sixth annual event is "March of Times – Dining Through the Decades," which has local interior designers and architects creating kitchen environments inspired by design styles from the decades of the 20th century for this year's celebrity chefs.

Lined up so far to present their favorite recipes are actors Elinor Donahue, who is serving as chairman emeritus with her husband Harry Ackerman, Jane Wyatt, Ruth Buzzi and JoAnne Worley; supermodel Allison Eastwood and her mother Maggie; race car driver Jon Beekhuis, former senator from Alaska, Mike Gravel and industrialist Finis Conner.

Actor Bill Beckley of *Dynasty* will serve as master of ceremonies.

Brooke Shields, who was a celebrity chef last year, is serving as honorary co-chairman with her mother Teri.

The March of Dimes Gourmet Gala, which in 1990 netted $50,000 for March of Dimes' research and services, puts an eclectic collection of celebrity cooks into 12 environments created by local interior designers and architects.

During a cocktail reception provided by the Monterey Peninsula's top restaurants and wineries, the traditionally sell-out (at $150 per person), crowd observes the chefs as they cook and the judges as they judge. Dinner – the celebrity recipes as prepared in larger quantities in the Sheraton Monterey kitchen – and dancing follow, along with a silent auction.

The Nunes Co., a Salinas-based agriculture firm, is the major underwriter of this year's gala. Other gala sponsors include Country Home Care; Mills Distributing Co.; Monterey Rolls Royce; Salyer American; Household Credit Services Inc.; Saks Fifth Avenue; Manny Lawrence Sales Inc.; Pebble Beach Co.; Dory Urcis; Rykoff-Sexton Inc.; elan at The Lodge and elan at Spanish Bay; Whittakers and Bib 'N' Tucker.

Artie Early and Mark Lupo are co-chairpersons of the gala. Their steering committee includes Bill Cater, development; Jerry Welling, kitchen design; Tia Gindick, publicity; Pat Gentry and Tracy Gentry, cooking; Carol Benton, entertainment; Dory Urcis, theme; Diane Belanger, printing; Jennifer Lupo, invitations; Juliann Podesta, silent auction.

Now in its 52nd year, the March of Dimes is a partnership of volunteers and professionals which has pioneered programs that include diagnosis and treatment of babies before and after birth, genetic counseling, and early and regular prenatal care to prevent birth defects.

Solo pianist George Winston will perform concert at Sunset Center

SOLO PIANIST George Winston brings his "Winter Show" to Sunset Center Theater in Carmel at 8 p.m. Friday, Jan. 4.

The proceeds from this concert will benefit Project Outreach, a grassroots organization providing food, shelter, clothing and job services to homeless families and families in transition.

Join Winston in support of Alliance on Aging Food Bank by bringing a can of food to the concert. There will be collection baskets at the entrances.

Winston is one of the foremost so-called "New Age" artists to reach popular and commercial success in the late 1980s, primarily through his recordings with the prestigious Windham Hill label, which he helped found.

In concert, Winston presents two different shows, the "Summer Show" and the "Winter Show," which he alternates each time he plays a city. Each show is centered around a seasonal theme and feaures both recorded and unrecorded pieces. Winston performed his "Summer Show" at the Sunset Center last June to a sold-out house.

Winston performs his own brand of pop instrumental music consisting of "hot" music (R&B/blues/rock/standards), as well as the melodic music that comprises most of his recorded output. The style of these pieces, while broadly categorized as "New Age," is often described as "rural folk piano."

Currently, Winston is concentrating on the live performance as well as studying the playing of the late R&B solo pianist James Booker and R&B/jazz pianist Henry Butler. He is also recording some of the musicians who have inspired him for many years on his own Dancing Cat Records label. A subsidiary label, Hawaiian Slack Key Guitar Records, was recently started to record slack key artists playing the traditional solo fingerpicking styles unique to the Hawaiian Islands.

Tickets for Winston's show are $16 for reserved seating and are available through Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561. For more information on Project Outreach programs, call Charles Glick at 899-HOPE.

The Sunset Center Theater is located at San Carlos and Ninth in Carmel.

Eagle watch tour offers more than just bird-watching

IMAGINE SITTING on the deck of a boat under a canvas canopy cover. You've just been served a brunch of eggs, hash brown potatoes, an assortment of meats, toast, fresh fruits, and a complimentary glass of Monterey Vineyards Champagne. You look out over the water and you see majestic bald eagles with their incredible wing span and their solid white heads and tails soaring in a playful manner. You look from left to right and there are white swans, Canadian Geese, blue herons, and grebes in all directions.

You're not off the coast of the North Pacific or Alaska, you're not on an island cruise ship, you're on the Central Coast in Monterey County at Lake San Antonio. You're aboard Eagle One, the tour boat operated by the Monterey County Parks Department at Lake San Antonio. Unless your luck is bad, it's a typical sunshiny central coast morning, cool, brisk, and invigorating. As the tour boat glides down the lake, you listen to a ranger present his interpretative program as he gives you detailed information on our national symbol. You're amazed as he describes the body size, weight, and the wing span of the great bird. All the statistical data is great but the feeling that overcomes you, when you finally spot your first bald eagle, brings chills to your body. The ranger looks out in front of the boat and points out the first two mature bald eagles perched atop a sparsely leaved oak tree. They are massive! You can see them with the naked eye for almost a quarter of a mile away. What's more impressive is the eagles have been watching you for probably more than a mile. Their vision is more than seven times as powerful as the human eye. The tour boat maintains a distance of 200 yards from the eagles so as not to disturb them and cause them to fly away. You can view the eagles through your own binoculars or through the ones provided by the Parks Department. A typical tour will see from 10 to 20 bald and golden eagles during the two hour cruise of Lake San Antonio.

Lake San Antonio has the largst concentration of wintering bald eagles in Central and Southern California. The lake has survived a four-year drought and although it is at minimum pool, it is still more than five miles to the dam and there is plenty of water for the eagles and tours. Over 60 bald, golden and osprey have been counted during the lake's annual January Eagle Count. There has been a steady increase of eagles migrating to the Lake San Antonio area for the past 10 years since the Parks Department began the annual eagle counts. This increase coupled with reports from increases in other parts of the country is a positive indication that the eagle population is again on the rise. Through research, education establishing alternative habitats, and restrictions on the use of chemicals, environmentalists have made a valuable effort to maintain and increase the eagle population.

TOURS

The Monterey County Parks Department operates regular, special brunch and special tours through March 4. Regular tours operate Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, and holidays at 1 p.m. Special brunch tours fit for a gourmet are operated on Saturday and Sunday morning beginning at 9 a.m. Special group tours are also available for school groups, clubs, organizations, tour groups, and senior clubs on Monday through Thursday with a minimum of 30 persons per tour.

Cost of a regular tour is $8 per person. Special brunch tours are $17 per person. Group tours are $6 per person and school groups are $4 per person. Senior citizens receive a $2 discount on regular tours on Fridays only. Additionally, there is a $4 per car day-use charge to enter the park and a $2 reservation service charge. Each tour includes a 30-minute slide presentation preceding the tour and a two-hour lake cruise (three hours for special brunch tours) aboard Eagle One, the tourboat purchased by the Parks Foundation of Monterey County and specifically designed for the Eagle Watch Program.

Reservations for the Eagle Program can be made with the Parks Department by phone by calling 755-4899. There is limited space available on the tours (60 persons for regular tours and 50 persons on brunch tours) which are very popular and are sold out well in advance. The champagne brunch tours are the first to go and immediate reservations are recommended.

LAKE SAN ANTONIO

The Eagle Program is operated from the Lake San Antonio South Shore Recreation facilities located 15 miles west of Highway 101 between King City and Paso Robles. From the north, take the G-14 Jolon exit at King City, proceed south on G-14 for 40 miles following the signs to Lake San Antonio South Shore. From the south, take the G-14 Lake Nacimiento/Lake San Antonio exit off Highway 101, go west on G-14 over Nacimiento Lake to the South Shore.

Lake San Antonio has year-round camping facilities for tents and recreational vehicles, along with cabin rentals.

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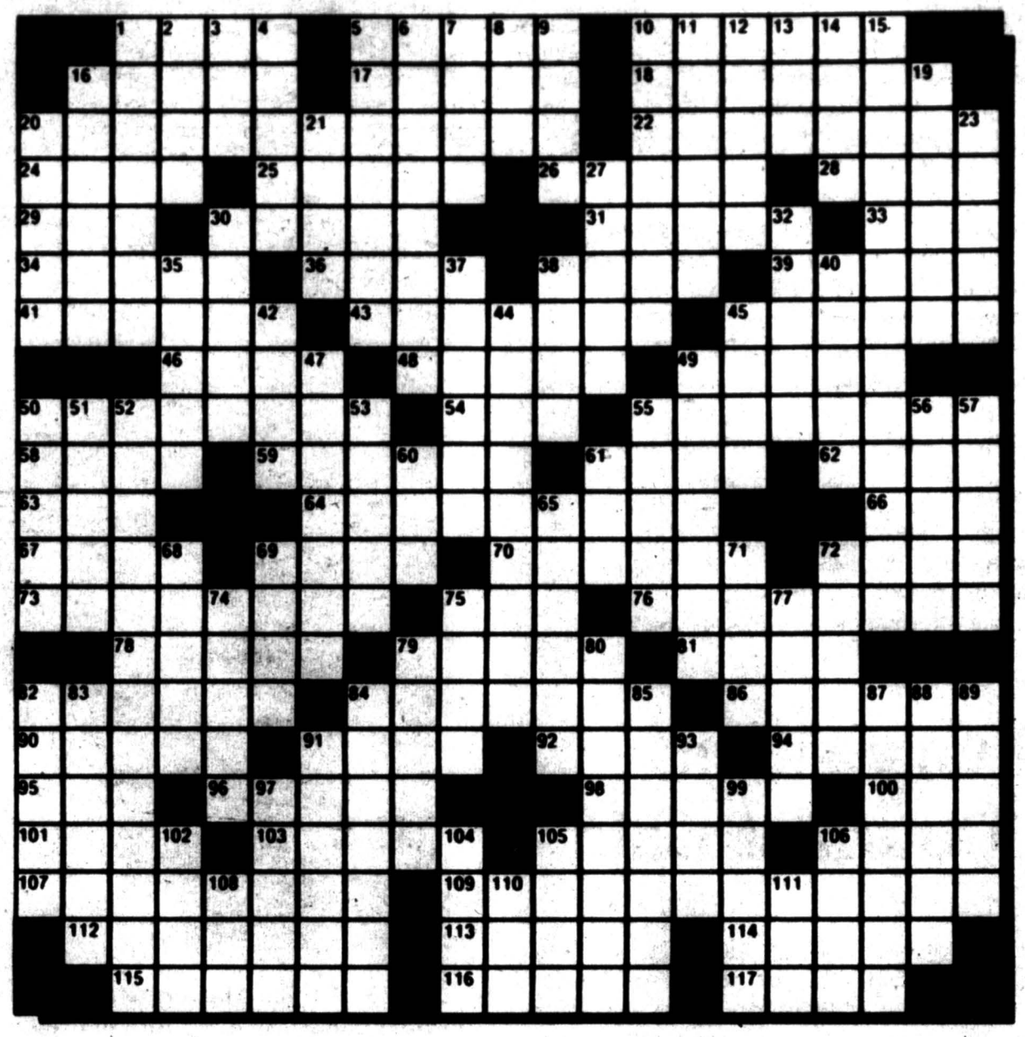

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GroveMont sets open auditions for its new season of plays

OPEN AUDITIONS for the GroveMont Theater's new season of plays has been scheduled for four days in January.

Auditions for *Talk Radio* by Eric Bogosian and *Driving Miss Daisy* by Alfred Uhry, have been scheduled for 6 p.m. Monday, Jan. 7 and Tuesday, Jan. 8. Auditions for *A Walk in the Woods* by Lee Blessing and *Steel Magnolias* by Robert Harling, have been scheduled for 6 p.m. Monday, Jan. 14 and Tuesday, Jan. 15.

All open auditions will be held at the GroveMont Theater Arts Center, 320 Hoffman St. (between Lighthouse and Hawthorne) in New Monterey.

Talk Radio will be directed by artist in residence, John Rousseau, and will feature GroveMont Artistic Director Stephen Moorer in the role of talk show host Barry Champlain.

Roles are available for six men (all in the adult range), and two women (in the 20-50 range). Rehearsals for the production will begin about Jan. 16, with performances running weekends from Feb. 21 to March 16 at the GroveMont Theater Arts Center.

Driving Miss Daisy will also be directed by Rousseau and will have all roles available. Required are one white woman aged 60-plus, one black man age 60-plus, and one white man age 40-50. Rehearsals begin in March for the production, which will run weekends in May at the GroveMont Theater Arts Center.

A Walk in the Woods will be directed by Moorer and will have all roles available. Required are two men in the 35-65 age range. Rehearsals begin Feb. 25 for the production, which will run weekends from March 28 through April 20 at the center.

Steel Magnolias will be directed by actor/director Sid Cato. Roles are available for four women (in the 18-50 age range). Rehearsals for the production will begin about Feb. 11, with performances running weekends from April 4 through May 12 the GroveMont's new The Monterey Playhouse, 425 Washington St. in downtown Monterey.

For more information, or to obtain scripts in advance, call the GroveMont Theater at 649-6852 or 649-0340.

Donations made to Salvation Army good for heart and wallet

DECEMBER MEANS many things to many people – holidays, family gatherings, New Year's Eve. The last thing anyone wants to think about is taxes.

December is also the last month of the tax year, however, and those who plan ahead are looking for ways to reduce the tax burden they'll face come April.

One way smart taxpayers do that is by donating to a non-profit organization such as the Salvation Army. "A donation of unwanted but usable household items, from furniture and appliances to clothes and knick-knacks, is fully tax deductible at a value determined by the donor," said Major Oliver Stenvick of the Salvation Army.

In addition to the tax benefit, the donor has the satisfaction of giving to a good cause. All items donated to the Salvation Army are sold in local thrift stores.

"That revenue is the sole source of funds for the San Jose Adult Rehabilitation Center," Stenvick said.

The ARC is the Salvation Army's alcohol and substance abuse recovery program serving Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, San Benito and Monterey counties. It provides the residents with skill and confidence-building work therapy, group and individual counseling, and spiritual guidance.

For information on trailer and store locations, or to arrange for a free home pick-up, call toll-free, 1-800-336-4900.

Get a front-row seat during annual whale watching

YOU'LL HAVE a front-row seat with expert commentary when you watch the annual migration of gray whales at the Monterey Bay Aquarium. Here are some tips for the whale watcher.

Between November and April each year, an estimated 15,000 to 20,000 gray whales (*Eschrichtius robustus* pass Monterey Bay on their 12,000-mile journey from Alaska to Baja California and back. Frequently, these great whales swim into the bay itself, within easy sight of shore.

Gray whales are not the only animals you'll see. Risso's dolphins and common dolphins can occasionally be spotted from the aquarium.

Sea otters, local residents throughout the year, are found in greater numbers in sheltered areas during the winter. Sea lions and harbor seals are here, too, as are winter birds like colorful surf scoters and many species of grebes.

The oceanfront aquarium, on Monterey's Cannery Row, is an ideal site for watching whales and other wildlife.

Outdoor decks up to three stories high offer a crow's-nest view. And there are telescopes for visitors to use as they scan the horizon for a spout.

Visitors are alerted to significant sightings, and volunteer aquarium guides are often out on the decks by telescopes to help visitors find the migrating mammals.

Around the bay, the Davenport Bluffs by Highway 1 north of Santa Cruz afford excellent ocean views. At the bay's lower end, whales can be sighted from the shore between Monterey Harbor and Carmel. Point Pinos and Asilomar State Beach in Pacific Grove are popular whale-watching sites.

South of Monterey Bay, Point Lobos State Reserve offers a haven for whale-watchers. Soberanes Point in Garrapata State Park (at the north end of the Big Sur coast), Point Sur and Andrew Molera State Park are also excellent. Many parks have ranger-led whale-watching walks.

Whale-watching boat trips are available from both Monterey and Santa Cruz. And the aquarium sponsors its own naturalist-led boat trips for members each weekend in January.

The southbound gray whale migration peaks in early January; northbound whales are at their most plentiful during the first week of March.

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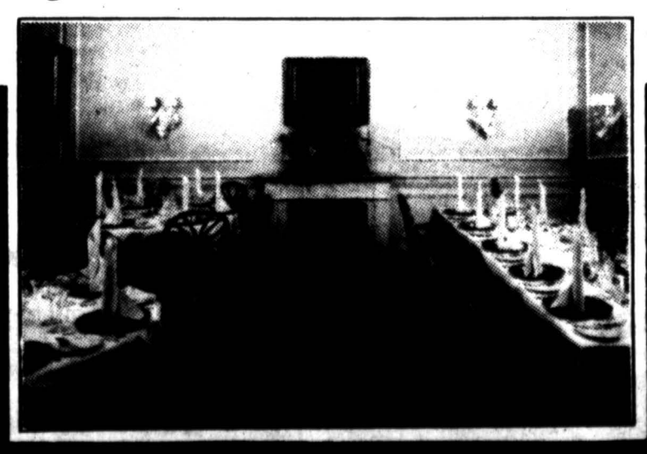

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ON STAGE

Ratz or the Ballad of Maxfield Mouse

The MPC Theatre Company is currently presenting the world premiere of James Mairs' musical fantasy *Ratz or the Ballad of Maxfield Mouse*, in the Main Stage Theater at Monterey Peninsula College.

Based on the story, *The City Mouse and the Country Mouse*, the production has a cast of 31 featuring Edward Griggs as Maxfield Mouse, Nicole Hostetler as Roxy, Michael Robbins as Chester Fieldmouse, Mary-Ann Lucido as Toni Townmouse, Dean Winston as Cosmo Mouse, and C. Patrick Spike as Capt. Wiley. Kent Carlson will play Capt. Wiley for Saturday matinees.

Tom McKenzie is directing the production, musical direction is by Barney Hulse and Laura Akard has choreographed the show.

The play is approximately one hour and 10 minutes in length and is suitable for children 4 years of age and older. Parents are requested not to bring infants or toddlers to the performance.

The play is presented at 8 p.m. Fridays and Saturdays, with 2 p.m. matinees on Saturdays and Sundays through Dec. 30.

Admission is $9 general; $7 for students/military/seniors. There is a special price of $1 for children under 13 when accompanied by a general admission ticket holder. Otherwise, admission for children 12 and younger is $4.50.

Tickets are available through Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561, or the MPC Box Office at 646-4213.

Foolin' around

ELEANOR WYLDE and Jim Sutty star in Tom Lehrer's comic musical revue *Tomfoolery*, which opens for a special five-day run to open GroveMont Theater's new Monterey Playhouse at 425 Washington St. in downtown Monterey and to celebrate the new year. Performances are scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday through Sunday, Dec. 27-30 for a New Year's Weekend Party Extravaganza, and at 9 p.m. Monday, Dec. 31 with a New Year's Eve Champagne Gala. For information or reservations, call the GroveMont box office at 649-6852 or Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561.

La Virgen del Tepeyac

El Teatro Campesino has just added three more shows, Tuesday, Dec. 18 through Thursday, Dec. 20, of its traditional Christmas miracle play of *La Virgen del Tepeyac* at the historic Mission San Juan Bautista.

As adapted by Artistic Director Luis Valdez from the centuries-old Mexican folk drama, the play, in a pageant of color, music and dance, recreates the four miraculous apparitions of the Virgin of Guadalupe to the indio Juan Diego outside of Mexico City in 1531. It is performed and sung in Spanish.

The three added performances will begin each evening at 8 p.m. The Old Mission, located on the San Juan Bautista plaza, is accessible to the handicapped. Advance ticket purchase is strongly recommended.

Tickets are $12 for adults, $10 for students and seniors and $6 for children under 12.

For details, call 623-2444.

Tomfoolery

The GroveMont Theater will present the hit musical revue based on the words and lyrics of social satirist Tom Lehrer, *Tomfoolery*, to open The Monterey Playhouse, new home of GroveMont Theater, with a New Year's Weekend Party Extravaganza, Thursday, Dec. 27 through Monday, Dec. 31, closing with a New Year's Eve Champagne Gala, at the facility, 425 Washington St., Monterey.

The production has been directed by GroveMont founder and executive director Stephen Moorer. The cast features Jim Sutty, Kelly Alexander, Eleanor Wylde and Kevin Hanstick. Musical accompaniment is by Barbara Souza. The show includes such well-known Lehrer numbers as *The Vatican Rag* and *Poisoning Pigeons in the Park*.

Tomfoolery will play five nights only, Thursday, Dec. 27-30 at 8 p.m. and Monday, Dec. 31 at 9 p.m. Ticket prices Thursday through Sunday are $20 single or $35 for two, including intermission appetizers and refreshments including beer and wine.

Ticket prices for the New Year's Eve Gala are $50 single, $90 for two and includes pre-show reception, after-show champagne buffet and dancing.

For reservations, call the GroveMont box office at 649-6852; for advance tickets, call Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561.

The Importance of Being Earnest

Oscar Wilde's brilliant and risible farce, *The Importance of Being Earnest*, is staged by the **Staff Players Repertory Company** at the Indoor Forest Theater, Carmel.

Wilde's spoofing of the upper classes and the dramatic conventions of the day has delighted audiences every year since its first production in the 1890s. Like many contemporary comic writers, Wilde was more interested in being clever than being truthful, and his young lovers and their parents and guardians offer a stylish and pleasant enjoyment for the holidays. The play is directed by Philip Clarkson.

Curtain is at 8 p.m. Thursdays through Saturdays and 2:30 p.m. Sundays until Dec. 22. The theater is at Mountain View and Santa Rita in Carmel-by-the-Sea.

The Staff Players Repertory Company is the adult support arm of the Children's Experimental Theatre. For reservations or information, call 624-1531.

The Drunkard

The wages of drink are outlined in *The Drunkard*, when a totally respectable Edward Middleton becomes downtrodden after being tempted with drink. Of course, as in all good melodramas, all ends well with Edward back in the loving arms of his family. The title role is played by Kurt Menke.

California's First Theatre is the setting for *The Drunkard*. The theater, the oldest in the state, is located at the corner of Scott and Pacific streets in historic downtown Monterey.

Seating is at 7:30 p.m. for the 8 p.m. curtain on Fridays and Saturdays.

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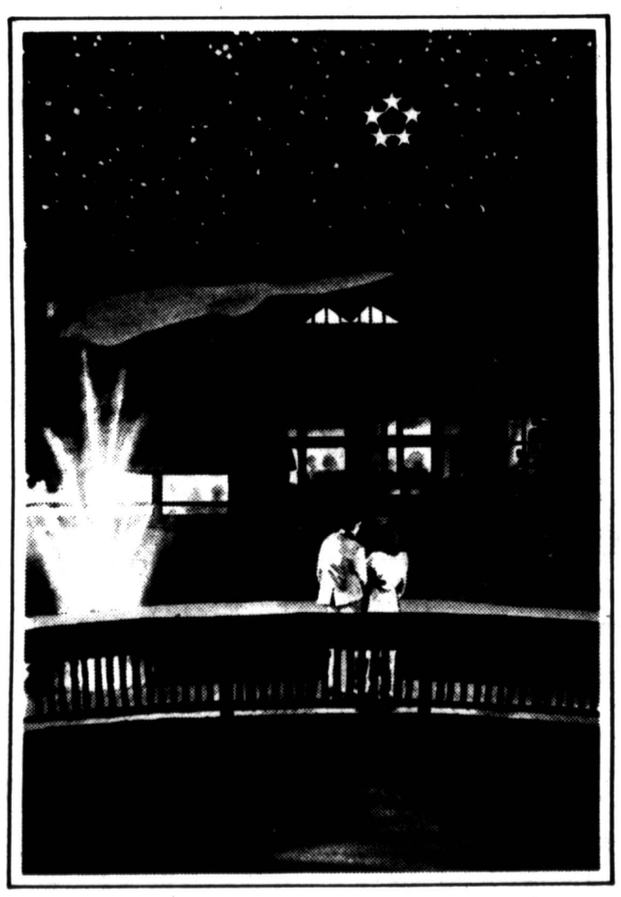

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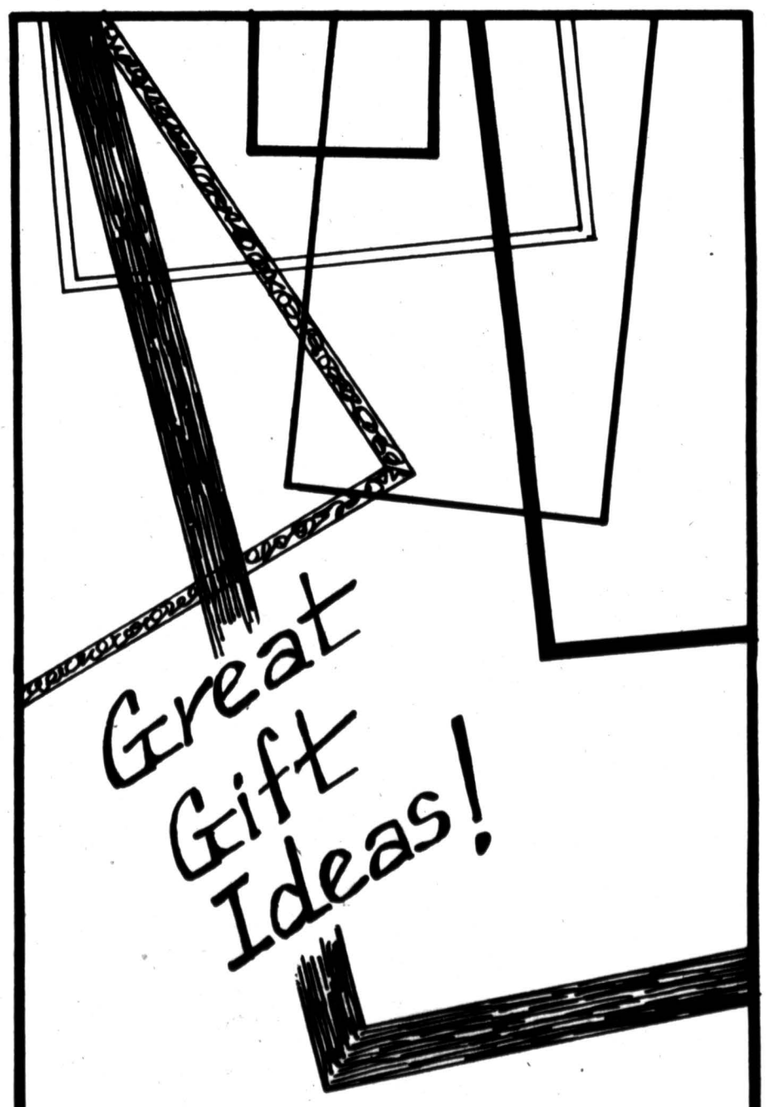

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Gentrain to host special tour to take in Spanish civilization

THE GENTRAIN Program at Monterey Peninsula College announces a special tour of Spain that will depart from Monterey on June 7, 1991, and return June 30. This three-unit travel/study course will encompass the breadth of Spanish civilization from Roman times to the present.

A maximum of 43 participants will visit the cities of Madrid, Toledo, Cordoba, Seville, Valencia, Barcelona, Zaragoza and Segovia. Among the highlights of the trip will be visits to the Prado, the Mosque at Cordoba, the Cathedral at Seville, the Alhambra, Guell Park and Palace, Picasso's Guernica and the Picasso Museum.

Cost for the tour will range between $3,500 and $3,800, depending on variations in foreign currency rates and airline fares. The total cost will include airfare, hotels, transfers, tour escort, motorcoach, admissions, guides, breakfasts and dinners, porterage, and tips. Travel costs are based on double occupancy. A limited number of single rooms will be available for a $675 supplement.

To reserve space on the tour, send a $350 refundable deposit to Ingrid Selin at Carmel-Monterey Travel, P.O. Box 22198, Carmel, CA 93922. Travelers wishing to pay their deposit in person should contact Selin at 26350 Carmel Rancho Lane, calling 624-1501 first to make an appointment.

An orientation meeting in April and two lecture sessions will be held at the college prior to the date of departure. Tour participants also are invited to enroll in a special eight-week course on Spanish Religion that Alison Schwyzer will teach during the spring semester. The course, Gentrain 51900-04, will be offered from 1 to 3 p.m. Mondays, April 15 through May 6. The class will meet in Lecture Forum 102.

Anyone interested in joining the tour to Spain is encouraged to make reservations as soon as possible.

MPC art department will offer courses in area's art history

THE ART Department at Monterey Peninsula College will offer three courses during the winter session, Jan. 7 through Feb. 1, that deal specifically with the historical development of art and architecture on the Monterey Peninsula.

These courses, offered only during the winter session, are part of a new 18-unit certificated program entitled "The Cultural History of Monterey County" which should be of special interest to art gallery personnel, docent and museum staf, tour guides and drivers, and those associated with tourist and art publications.

Since 1975, MPC art instructor Rick Janick and local historian Kent Seavy have been documenting artists and artists who have shaped the cultural environment of the Monterey Peninsula. Special courses have been offered during the summer and winter sessions since 1980 focusing on Robert Stanton, William Ritchel, Hugh Comstock, M.J. Murphy, Julia Morgan, Aeman Hanson, Barclay Ferguson and David Ligare.

Winter session 1991 courses are:

Visual Arts of the Monterey Peninsula (Art 200) will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays, Jan. 8, 10, 15 and 17. The first two class meetings will be held in Room A-9 on the college campus. The Jan. 15 and 17 sessions will include field trips, receptions at local art institutions and four hours, by arrangement, at a local art opening.

Architecture of the Monterey Peninsula (Art 102) will meet from 7 to 10 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, and Friday, Jan. 7, 9, 11, 14 and 16, plus one hour by arrangement. The architectural origins of the Spanish and Yankee periods will be studied. Individula class sessions will be devoted to the evolution of Carmel, Monterey, Pacific Grove and Pebble Beach.

An Architectural Tour of the Monterey Peninsula (Art 210) is a one-day session scheduled for Saturday, Jan. 19. The class will convene in Room A-9 on campus at 9 a.m. for orientation. The bus tour, which includes special picnic lunch, will end at 5 p.m. on campus. An additional $25 per person will be collected the day of the class to cover the cost of the bus and luncheon.

Enrollment is limited to 45 persons for each class. One unit of crfedit is given for Art 200 and Art 201. The one-day tour offers a half unit of credit. Enrollment fee is $5 per unit. The college Admissions Office is open from 8 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday, and 8 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Fridays for persons wishing to register. Jan. 8 is the last day to register for winter session courses.

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By John Detro

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CHRISTMAS WISH: May this season's pragmatic joy ring in your bones like Milt Jackson on vibes, Betty Carter vocal rides, Elvin Jones at his drums. Pragmatic – yes. Nazareth was a funky little place. Folks made jokes about it. Then Godhead's errorless humor gave that poor spot fresh meaning. Such miracles abound even today. Perhaps two quotes will win space within your particular celebrations.

"There are no events but thoughts and the heart's hard turning," Annie Dillard writes, "the heart's slow learning where to love and whom. The rest is merely gossip, and tales for other times."

And the December newsletter from music bookers John Kelly and Connie Booth contains accurate words by mythographer Joseph Campbell. "If you follow your bliss, you put yourself on a kind of track that has been there all the while, waiting for you, and the life that you ought to be living is the one you are living."

CONNIE REMINDS that one of her favorite jazz units – John Handy with Class – will work Highlands Inn on New Year's Eve. Basically a blues reedman with big affection for Ellington and Basie, Handy surrounds himself with four young ladies who play violin and sing very well. They'll welcome old pro vocalist Buddy Conner as guest artist. It's a package; call the hotel if you wish reservations and cost factor.

Some other choices on 1990's final night – Papa Jake and those Abalone Stompers (Holiday Inn Resort); Bill LePine Quartet (Monterey Beach Hotel); Bow Williams Big Band with vocalist Linda Lukenas (Monterey Plaza Hotel); Marvelettes plus Garage Band (Monterey Sheraton); Alan Berman Duo (Doubletree Lobby Lounge); Maxine Howard back from Europe (Yoshi's in Oakland); Les McCann and his Magic Band (Kimball's of San Francisco); Tony Bennett (Fairmont Hotel).

BOBBY MCFERRIN's new album – *Medicine Music* from EMI – already looks like a winner for the genius guy who'll still seem young some decades from now. The title track casts him as a contemporary mojo man: "I got harmonies to give you hope. I got melodies to take you home. And my dance will help your blood flow. I got words to make the devils go." The CD contains a dozen tracks – all written and arranged by Bobby. Overdubbing lets his amazing vocal skills range far, deep, wide.

The McFerrin Voicestra serves this package well. So does his father, an operatic baritone of solid repute. Dedicated to his mother – *The 23rd Psalm* retooled genderwise. "She makes me lie down in green meadows – " Wonderful stuff.

Another breakthrough. San Francisco Drum Festival presented its first commissioned work and it was *Skin Talk: An Ancestral Ballet of Woman*. The 40-minute production's based on a parable from the powerful and subtle Yoruba people. Authors – Bobi Cespedes from the Afro-Cuban band Conjunto Cespedes and Carolyn Brandy of the women's jazz quintet Alive.

Locals who saw the piece say it was stirring. I'll pass along background information to a couple of producers who put together Monterey Peninsula shows.

NOT LONG ago, this column reported that Polygram was producing a killer album with vocalist Shirley Horn. Guest artists would include Miles Davis, Toots Thielemans, Wynton and Branford Marsalis on separate cuts, venerable tenorman Buck Hill.

Now the advance cassette has arrived from label spokesperson Ben Mundy – along with an announced release date of next month. Title: *You Won't Forget Me*.

Miss Horn's quiet excellence draws together the diverse talents. As always, her intelligent pianism contributes much. It's an item that deserves attention when collectors go shopping.

THE DEATH this month of composer Aaron Copland brought an important fact back into public awareness. His quest – putting the sound of our nation's spirit onto paper – led Copland's great mind to study jazz and Latin rhythms. New Orleans, Chicago and Manhattan jazz charts contributed mightily as he worked out fresh approaches.

Leonard Bernstein's comments on Aaron Copland told truth. "He was the composer who would lead American music out of the wilderness. He was The Leader – the one to whom the young always came with their compositions." Not bad.

One key statement by Copland could have been spoken by any jazz heavyweight: 'I think that my music, even when it sounds tragic, is a confirmation. If there is a unifying core in it at all, it is a sense of affirmation."

It's worth mentioning too that recently deceased novelist Lawrence Durrell was fascinated as a young man by the London jazz scene. He sometimes expressed the wish that he could have been a professional player. Instead, the music entered his manner of novelizing time's circular flow.

Check it out. Chunks of his *Alexanderia Quartet* read as though they could have been inspired by Bird Parker, Tadd Dameron, Monk, Keith Jarrett. Tadd did do some arranging for the London-based orchestra fronted by Ted Heath.

The Sheraton's Monterey Bay Club spotlights vocalist Gail Dobson on Thursday night (12/20). Others: Terry Hanck Band (12/21-22), TV football (12/23), unannounced (12/24), Jack and Ed Show (12/25), Alan Berman (12/26).

Recommended night sounds – Monica Harle Trio at Highlands Inn (Fridays and Saturdays); Bill LePine Quartet with multiple reedman John Cortes at Monterey Beach Hotel (Wednesdays through Saturdays); jam sessions hosted by bassist Norm Ross at The Firehouse (Thursdays and Saturdays); Ace Hill's soulful piano plus bassist at Doubletree Lobby Lounge (Thursdays through Saturdays); Brazilian percussionist Helcio Milito with pianist Weber Drummond at Spanish Bay Lobby Lounge (Wednesdays through Sundays); pianist Jan Deneau and friends at Pebble Beach Lodge (Fridays through Sundays). These are the normal play dates; check specific venues for holiday scheduling.

University of Illinois Press announces new jazz books. More next time.

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GroveMont to celebrate new year with champagne and 'Tomfoolery'

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The production has been directed by GroveMont founder and executive director Stephen Moorer, whose recent productions of *Tomfoolery, A Midsummer Night's Dream* and *Daddy's Dying, Who's Got the Will* received multiple recognitions at the Monterey County Theater Alliance's version of the Tony's, "The BARBS."

"The goals for this unique five-day party are twofold," Moorer said. "First, we'll try to raise $15,000 toward our renovation fund. Second, we want to introduce our new theater to all our patrons and supporters in the most festive way possible. What better time than New Year's weekend?"

The cast of *Tomfoolery*, which was recognized with a 1990 ensemble musical BARB by the theater alliance, features Jim Sutty, Kelly Alexander, Eleanor Wylde and Kevin Hanstick. Musicalk accompaniment is by Barbara Souza. The show includes such well-known Lehrer numbers as *The Vatican Rag, Poisoning Pigeons in the Park* and *I Got It From Agnes*. The production comes to the Monterey Playhouse following its sold-out October run at the GroveMont Theater Arts Center in New Monterey.

Tomfoolery will play five nights only, Thursday, Dec. 27-30 at 8 p.m. and Monday, Dec. 31 at 9 p.m. Ticket prices Thursday through Sunday are $20 single or $35 for two, including intermission appetizers and refreshments including beer and wine.

Ticket prices for the New Year's Eve Gala are $50 single, $90 for two and includes pre-show reception, after-show champagne buffet and dancing.

For reservations, call the GroveMont box office at 649-6852; for advance tickets, call Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561.

Nick Williams ensemble to play at Third Thursday Jazz Series

NICK WILLIAMS will ring in the holiday season with a little jazz at the next Third Thursday Jazz Series, set for 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 20 at the Vista Lobos Room at Vista Lobos Park, Third and Torres in Carmel.

The concert will feature 4-year-old singing sensation Angelica Williams and the Nick Williams Jr. Jazz Ensemble. An "All-Pro Jam" will include Dave Kempton on piano, Steve Bernstein on bass, Bob Blankenship on drums, as well as Nick Williams on flute, clarinet, sax and bass, and Leslie Williams on vocals.

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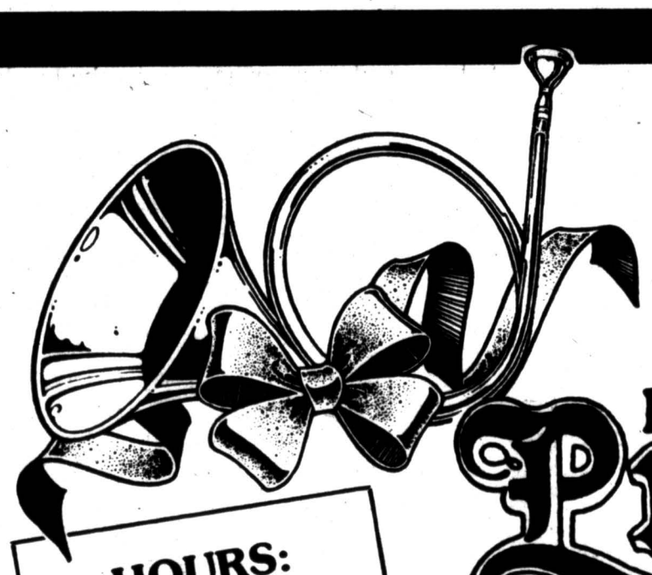

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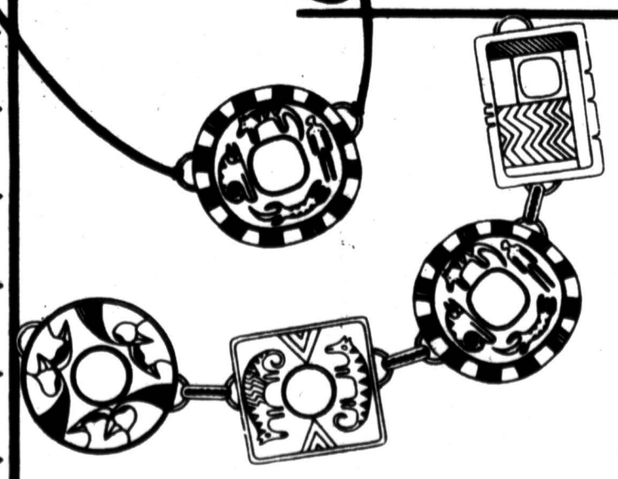
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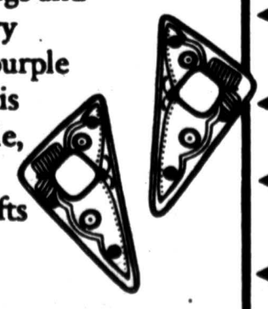
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WHAT'S PLAYING AT THE MOVIES

ALMOST AN ANGEL: Paul Hogan of *Crocodile Dundee* fame, stars in this comedy about an earth-bound angel who must prove he deserves to wear his wings and get to heaven. Rated PG-13. *Opens Dec. 21 at the Lighthouse Cinemas.* 372-7300.

BONFIRE OF THE VANITIES: Bestseller by Tom Wolfe brought to the screen starring Tom Hanks, Bruce Willis and Melanie Griffith, as a Wall Street trader, his mistress and an doen-on-his-luck reporter. Rated R. *Opens Dec. 21 at the Golden Bough Theater.* 624-4044.

CHILD'S PLAY II: He's baaaack. Chucky, the child's doll possessed by a deranged psycho killer is back and he's ticked off after having been incinerated in the last *Child's Play.* And again he's after Andy Barclay (Alex Vincent), the young boy from the first movie. Rated R. *At the Hill Theatre with 'White Palace.'* 375-2800.

DANCES WITH WOLVES: Kevin Costner stars in and directs this sprawling Western about a Civil War hero's acclimation and acceptance into the world of the Sioux Indian during the final years of their free existence in the rapidly changing American West. The title comes from Costner's attempts one day to scare away a wolf from his camp. Rated PG-13. *At the Crossroads Cinemas.* 624-2792.

EDWARD SCISSORHANDS: Director Tim Burton (*Batman, Beetlejuice*), helmed this romantic fantasy about a lonely half-man, half-machine (Johnny Depp), who has long sharp shears for hands and is confined to a hilltop mansion until liberated by a kindly Avon lady, played by Dianne Wiest, and her daughter, Winona Ryder. Rated PG-13. *At the State Theatre.* 372-4555.

GHOST: Patrick Swayze and Demi Moore star in this romantic ghost story about a couple who get mugged, he dies, she lives, but he comes back as a ghost caught between the worlds of the living and dead. Whoopie Goldberg co-stars as a skeptical medium that Swayze enlists in his search for his killers. Rated PG-13. *At the Dream Theater.* 372-1331.

GODFATHER III: Francis Ford Coppola's long-awaited sequel to the Academy Award-winning *Godfather* epics opens Dec. 25, with Al Pacino reprising his role as Michael Corleone in the first two movies, with Andy Garcia, Paul Sorvino, Sophia Coppola. Rated R. *At the State Theater starting Dec. 25.* 372-4555.

***HAVANA:** Robert Redford stars in this Sydney Pollack film as an American gambler out to win his biggest game of cards yet, only to find himself wagering on a beautiful woman married to a Cuban aristocrat in 1950's, pre-Castro Havana. Rated R. At the State Theatre.* 372-4555.

HOME ALONE: MacCaulay Culkin stars as a young boy who is accidentally left home alone by his vacationing family three days before Christmas. He's left to defend the home against two bumbling burglars played by Joe Pesci and Daniel Stern. Written and produced by John Hughes. Rated PG. *At the Valley Cinema.* 624-5111.

MERMAIDS: Cher, Winona Ryder and Bob Hoskins star in this comedy directed by Richard Benjamin in which Cher plays the well-travelled and flamboyant mother of two children, one of them a straitlaced girl who yearns to be a nun. Hoskins plays Cher's latest boyfriend. Rated PG-13. *At the Lighthouse Cinemas.* 372-7300.

MISERY: Thriller based on the Stephen King bestseller about an obsessed fan of a writer of romantic novels (James Caan), who rescues him from an auto accident, then doesn't allow him to leave her secluded home, holding him by force against his will. Directed by Rob Reiner. Rated R. *At the Dream Theater.* 372-1331.

THE RESCUERS DOWN UNDER: The popular Disney characters return for a rescue of mates in Australia in this animated film. With an animated featurette, *Mickey Mouse in the Prince and the Pauper.* Rated G. *At the Dream Theater.* 372-1331.

***REVERSAL OF FORTUNE:** Drama about the infamous trial of Claus von Bulow on charges that he murdered his wife brought to the screen by director Barbet Schroeder. Jeremy Irons plays von Bulow, Glenn Close his wife Sunny, and Ron Silver the flamboyant lawyer Alan Dershowitz, who defended von Bulow at his second trial. Rated R. At the Hill Theatre.* 375-2800.

ROCKY V: Sylvester Stallone returns as heavyweight champion Rocky Balboa, who discovers in this supposedly last installment of the Rocky saga, that he is not only suffering from irreversible brain damage, but that his accountant has lost all his earnings and the IRS is after him. Directed by John Avildsen of the first *Rocky* and written by Stallone. Rated PG-13. *At the State Theatre.* 372-4555.

ROCKY HORROR PICTURE SHOW: A send-up of remembered monster movies, with the added twist of music — "The Time Warp," "Over at the Frankenstein Place," and an audience that seems to know the lines better than the actors. A long-standing cult classic. Rated R. *At the Dream Theater.* 372-1331.

THE ROOKIE: Clint Eastwood stars in and directed this police-action film as a rough, cigar-chomping veteran of a police auto theft detail whose partner gets killed by a particularly vicious group of car-nappers. His new partner is a suit-and-tie dandy (Charlie Sheen), who comes from a rich background. Eastwood, with the rookie in tow, go after the slimeballs who killed his partner. Rated R. *At the Lighthouse Cinemas.* 372-7300.

THE RUSSIA HOUSE: Sean Connery and Michelle Pfeiffer star in this thriller based on the bestseller by master spy novelist John LeCarre. Rated R. *Opens Dec. 21 at the Carmel Village Theatre.* 625-1200.

THREE MEN AND A LITTLE LADY: Sequel to the immensely popular *Three Men and a Baby,* this film reunites our three heroes (Ted Danson, Steve Guttenberg and Tom Selleck), a few years later when the baby girl left on their doorstep is now 5, with her and her mother living in the spacious bachelor penthouse. The mother, however, agrees to marry an officious director and move to England, setting off a merry chase. Rated PG-13. *At the Lighthouse Cinemas.* 372-7300.

WHITE PALACE: Susan Sarandon and James Spader star in this drama about a 26-year-old Jewish yuppie who falls for and has a passionate affair with a fortysomething burger stand waitress. She's sloppy and coarse, he's neat and college-educated. Will the relationship survive their vast differences? Rated R. *At the Hill Theatre.* 375-2800.

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OPENING

No openings scheduled this week.

CONTINUING

New Masters Gallery: Fourth annual show of watercolors by **Will Bullas**; Sixth Avenue near San Carlos Street, Carmel.

The Weston Gallery: Retrospective exhibit of photographs by **John Sexton**; Sixth Avenue between Dolores and Lincoln, Carmel. Through Jan. 1.

Seaside City Hall Art Gallery: "Circle of Life," collage by **Heidi Hybl**; sculpture by **Craig Caster**; 440 Harcourt Ave., Seaside. Through Dec. 31.

Carmel Art Association: Miniatures by member artists, on Dolores between Fifth and Sixth avenues, Carmel. Through Jan. 2.

Carmel Valley Manor: In the Hallway Gallery, exhibition in mixed media by second and fourth grade pupils at **All Saints' Episcopal Day School**; 8545 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley. Through December.

The Carmel Foundation: In the Hallway Gallery, "Wireworks," expression of Chinese painting using fine wire and solder, by **Joseph Yang**; Lincoln Street at Eighth Avenue, Carmel. Through December.

Claypoole-Freese Gallery: Paintings and works on paper by member artists, 216 Grand Ave., Pacific Grove. Through Jan. 12.

Viewpoint Gallery: Holiday lights interpreted by **Susan Kingsley, Peter David, Ron Nelson, Susannah Israel, Jef Workman, Aaron Rosenberg, Barry Weiss** and **Kesler and Mutrux**; 224 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel.

Sculpture House and Gardens: "The Wonderful Woods of **Robert Agnew**"; Highway 1, Carmel Highlands. Through Dec. 31.

Coast Gallery Christmas Crafts Faire: Works by more than 100 American artists and craftspeople are represented at this show, open at the former site of the Wells Fargo Bank between Macy's and Mervyn's at Del Monte Shopping Center, Monterey. Hours are 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. through Dec. 31.

The Photographic Center of the Monterey Peninsula: Annual Members' Exhibit featuring images by 45 photographers. The center is housed in Sunset Center, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel. Through Jan. 6.

Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art: In the Coburn Gallery, glazed ceramic plates and mosaic tiled furniture employing Mexican Day of the Dead images by **Susie Ketchum**, through Jan. 6; in the Upper Galleries, **Seventh Juried Photographic Exhibition**, featuring 56 photographic works by 45 artists, through Jan. 6; in the Asian Gallery, "Indigo," a cross-cultural look at how indigo dye has been utilized in clothing around the world, through Jan. 13; in the Work Gallery, "If Pictures Could Talk," private collection of works by California painters, through Jan. 27; 559 Pacific St., Monterey.

The Pacific Grove Art Center: In the David Henry Gill Gallery, painted photos by **Dennis High**; in the Elmarie Dyke Gallery, collages by **John LaPierre**; in the Hall Gallery, paintings by **Betty Biggs**; in the Photography Gallery, "Faces of Asia" by **Craig Lovell**; 568 Lighthouse Ave., Pacific Grove. Through Dec. 22.

Seventeenth Street: Paintings, sculptures and prints by **Jane Hoppin, Carol Kline, Phyllis Matoff, Tim Robinson** and **Sally Sanders**; 205 17th St., Pacific Grove.

Monterey Peninsula College Art Gallery: "Fall into the Nineties," annual student competitive show, including paintings, drawings, sculpture, ceramics, metalwork and textiles; on the MPC campus, 980 Fremont St., Monterey. Through Dec. 18.

Monterey Peninsula Airport Gallery: "Par Excellence — A History of Golf on the Monterey Peninsula," featuring golfing equipment, mementoes belonging to players of championship tournaments, antique photos from the Pebble Beach Company archives, trophies, golf clothing and golf memorabilia; presented by Art-at-the-Airport with a grant from the AT&T Pebble Beach Golf Foundation. Through Feb. 17.

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CALENDAR

Thursday/20

Farmers' Market: Locally grown fresh fruits and vegetables, nursery stock, eggs, flowers, honey and other items are sold by the farmers who grew them, 2:30 to 6 p.m. weekly in the Monterey Peninsula College parking lot.

Concerned Senior Citizens' Christmas Party: The Concerned Senior Citizens Monterey Peninsula Club will hold its Christmas Party at 1:30 p.m. in the community room of the Monterey Public Library, located at 625 Pacific Street. The Monterey High School Chamber Choir will entertain. There will be a gift exchange and refreshments. For more information call 375-4472.

Third Thursday Jazz Series: The area's finest jazz artists along with gifted vocal and instrumental students will be presenting their monthly concert series in the Vista Lobos Room at Vista Lobos Park, Torres and Third, Carmel. The free concert will begin at 8 p.m. Contact Nick Williams at 626-9151 for reservations.

Portofino Cafe: Steve Gillete and Cindy Magnuson, nationally renowned folksinger and songwriter, will be joined by Portofino's own folk singer "Mahesh." The Folk Concert begins at 8 p.m. and an admission of $7 will be charged. For further information call 373-7379.

Christmas Pictures with Santa: Have a picture of yourself, loved one or pet taken with Santa Claus. The cost of $5 will go to benefit the Family Resource Center, dedicated to the prevention of child abuse and neglect. Santa will be at The Crossroads Shopping Center from 11 a.m-4 p.m. For information call 757-7915.

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Friday/21

Public tours of Tor House: Docent-led tours of Tor House, Hawk Tower, and the Old World gardens of poet Robinson Jeffers are conducted 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. each Friday and Saturday at the house on Ocean View Boulevard, Carmel. Tax deductible cost is $5 for adults, $3.50 for college students, and $1.50 for high school students. No children under 12 are permitted. Reservations are a necessity. Call 624-1813.

Portofino Cafe: Portofino Cafe, located at 620 Lighthouse Avenue will be presenting their Folk Music Night. Call 373-7379 for more information.

A Christmas Concert: Hidden Valley Theater, located 11.2 miles east of Hwy. 1 on Carmel Valley Road, is presenting their Christmas Concert, a seasonal evening of beautiful singing. Hosted by Randall Behr, Resident Conductor of the Los Angeles Music Center Opera and featuring a quartet of America's finest young vocalists, the show begins at 8 p.m. Cost is $10. You are welcome to bring your own wine. Refreshments will be available. For further information call 659-3115.

Saturday/22

Ric Masten — Concert of Poetry-in-Song: The singing poet will perform a selection of poems and song lyrics from his book *Notice Me* at 11 a.m. at Thunderbird Bookshop, located in The Barnyard, Carmel. For information call 624-4995.

Saturday/22

Marine environment awareness sail: The Patronilla sailing yacht departs 12:30 p.m. each Saturday for a discovery tour of Monterey Bay. Five percent of all fares are donated by Spellbinder Sailing Tours to marine education programs. Cost is $50 per person. Aquarium members receive 10 percent discount. For information or reservations, call 655-2281.

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Sunday/23

Photos with Santa: Family Resource Center is hosting Christmas Pictures with Santa, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturdays and Sundays through Dec. 23 and Monday, Dec. 24 at The Crossroads shopping center. Cost is $5 per photo, all proceeds benefit the Family Resource Center. Information: 757-7915.

Vigil for peace: The Women's International League for Peace and Freedom sponsors a vigil for peace in the Middle East. The vigil is set 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. weekly at the Window on the Bay Park, Del Monte Avenue and Camino El Estero, Monterey.

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Monday/24

Weekly bridge game: All bridge players are invited to gather 1 p.m. weekly in room 6 at Sunset Center, San Carlos at Ninth, Carmel. Master points will be awarded by the American Contract Bridge League. Singles welcome; $3.50 fee. For information or reservations, call 625-4307, and leave a message.

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Tuesday/25

Christmas Dinner at Monterey Fairgrounds: A traditional Christmas dinner, live music, Santa Claus and games for the children are all part of the fifth-annual Christmas dinner held from noon until 4 p.m. in the Monterey Room at the Monterey Fairgrounds. The traditional dinner with all the trimmings is free and open to the public. Families and individuals can come with food for themselves and to share with others. Flatware and plates may also be brought. It's a special time for members of the community, visitors, military, lonely, hungry and needy can join together in a celebration of Christmas. Volunteers and donations on relyed upon in order to provide the dinner. To contact a

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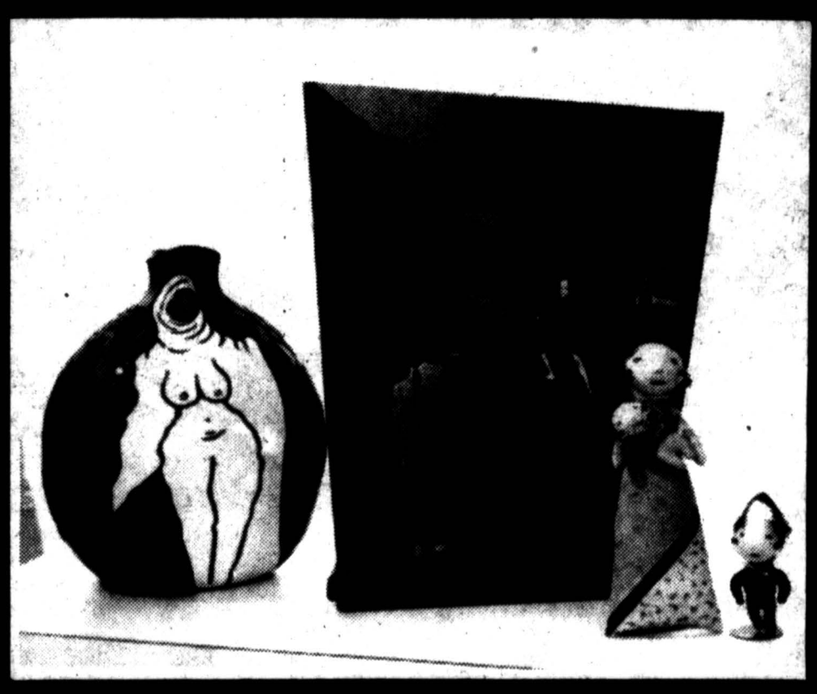

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CALENDAR

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Wednesday/26

Portofino Cafe: Open Reading. All poets, writers and musicians invited to share their work. The evening begins at 8 p.m. at 620 Lighthouse Avenue, Pacific Grove. Cost is $2. Call for information 373-7379.

Thursday/27

"TomFoolery," opens New Year's Party at Grovement: GroveMont Theater's hit musical revue will open their "New Year's Weekend Party Extravaganza," a five-day party that will introduce patrons to the new theater and will hopefully raise $5,000 for their renovation fund. The show is at 8 p.m. Tickets are $20, or $35 for two which includes appetizers and refreshments. The GroveMont is located at 425 Washington, in downtown Monterey. Call for reservations the GroveMont Box-office at 649-6852 or Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561.

MPAS Christmas Bird Count: All birding eyes and binoculars are necessary for this year's count. The Monterey Peninsula Auduban Society's countdown dinner will be at the Unitarian Church at 490 Aguajito Road, Carmel. The post-count dinner is free and guests are welcome but are asked to sign up in advance and pay $7 for dinner. If you wish to count from the sea, there is a $12 fee. National Audubon's count fee is $5. For questions call Bob Tintle at 373-7669

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Saturday/29

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Monarch Organ Concert Series: Celebrate New Year's Eve with James Welch, organist and Carol Wiliams, Soprano in concert at 8 p.m. at the First United Methodist Church, Sunset at 17 Mile Dr. Pacific Grove. This year will bring works from Bach to Brigadoon. A reception to meet the artists will follow the concert. Tickets are $10, and seniors $8. Call Center Stage Ticketing at 649-5561. Reservations recommended.

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Tuesday/1

Edgar Cayce Foundation: The Association For Research and Englightenment meets every Tuesday: Monterey Chapter from 7-9 p.m., call 373-5621; Carmel Chapter from 7:30-9:30 p.m., call 625-7703.

Thursday/3

"Singin' In The Rain" The Monterey Public Library will present the delightful musical comedy "Singin' In The Rain," starring Gene Kelly at 7 p.m. in the Library Community Room. Admission is free. The Library is at 625 Pacific Street, Monterey. Call 646-3930 for information.

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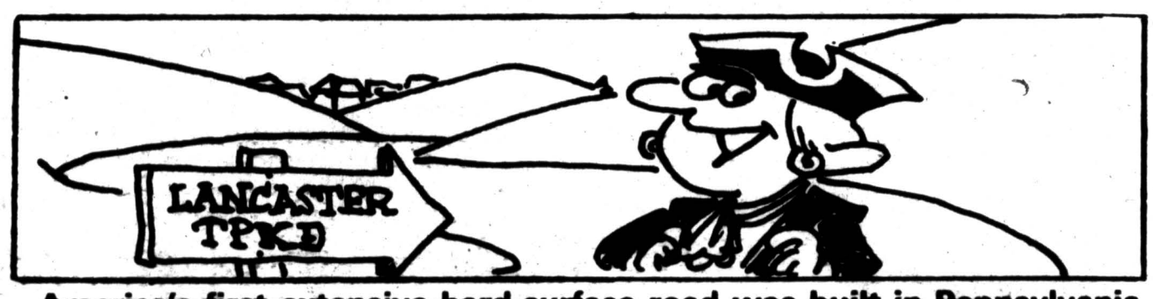

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PUBLIC NOTICE

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F902023

The following person is doing business as:

MONTEREY ONE-HOUR PHOTO, 906 Del Monte Center, Monterey, CA 93940

DONALD H. BOWERS, 155 A San Benancio Road, Salinas, CA 93908, CHERYL NESTER-BOWERS, 155 A San Benancio Road, Salinas, CA 93908

This business is conducted by husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/5/90.

(s) Donald H. Bowers

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 7, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 18, 20, 1990, Jan. 3, 10, 1991

(PC1218)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F902019

The following person is doing business as:

SUPERIOR PAINTING, 11700 Hidden Hills Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924

CRAIG HIRT, 11700 Hidden Hills Rd., Carmel Valley, CA 93924

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/1/83.

(s) Craig Hirt

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 6, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 18, 20, 1990, Jan. 3, 10, 1991

(PC1217

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901903

The following person is doing business as:

Cellular Outlet, 592 Weddell Drive, No.7, Sunnyvale, Ca. 94089.

Cellular Telephone Systems, Inc., a California corporation, 592 Weddell Drive, No.7, Sunnyvale, Ca. 94089.

This business is conducted by corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-15-90.

(s) Thomas J. Zimmerman, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 15, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 18, 1990.

(PC1125)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901883

The following person is doing business as:

FINDERS KEEPERS, 26288 Inspiration Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

ROXANNE M. WILDE, 26288 Inspiration Ave., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Nov. 10, 1990

(s) Roxanne M. Wilde

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 9, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 18, 1990.

(PC1127)

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This business is conducted by an individual.

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(s) Roxanne M. Wilde

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 9, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Nov. 29, Dec. 6, 13, 18, 1990.

(PC1121)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901940

The following person is doing business as:

THE WORDSMITH, 1334 Lincoln Avenue, Pacific Grove, CA 93950.

PATRICIA H. DEESE, 1334 Lincoln Avenue, Pacific Grove, CA 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Patricia H. Deese

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 21, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 6, 13, 18 and 20, 1990.

(PC1202)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901940

The following person is doing business as:

THE WORDSMITH, 1334 Lincoln Avenue, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

PATRICIA H. DEESE, 1334 Lincoln Avenue, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Patricia H. Deese

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 21, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 6, 13, 18, 20, 1990.

(PC1202)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901953

The following person is doing business as:

HAMPTON COURT PROPERTIES, 7th & San Carlos (Drawer 350) Carmel, Ca. 93921.

SHERRI GRASSI HABECK, 7th & San Antonio, Carmel, Ca. P.O. Box 544, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93963.

JAN SANTACROCE, 819 Vista Del Mar, Aptos, Ca. 95003.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Sherrie Grassi Habeck

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 26, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 6, 13, 18, 20, 1990.

(PC1206)

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PUBLIC NOTICE

CITY OF
CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of the First Murphy Park/House Project including: design review of the house, site design of the park and environmental assessments.

PURPOSE: To consider the First Murphy Park/House Project including design review of the park, site design of the park and environmental assessment.

ZONING DISTRICT: R-1
COMPLIANCE WITH
CEQA*: Exempt
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: 8 Jan., 1991
TIME: 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde between Ocean and 7th Avenues.

Any court challenges made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this (these) proposed action(s) may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council), Forest and Beach Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said HEARING and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.

Jeanne Brehmer
City Clerk

Dated: Dec. 14, 1990

Date of Publication: Dec. 20, 1990

* California Environmental Quality Act.

(PC1222)

CITY OF
CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of an appeal of a technical decision of the Planning Commission denying a use permit for a restaurant located on the south side of Ocean Avenue between San Carlos and Mission Streets (Block 77, Lots 1 and 2) and in a structure located on Ocean Avenue. The business is Cocogelato and the appellant is Sharon Wiener.

PURPOSE: To determine if the decision of the Planning Commission should be upheld or overturned.

ZONING DISTRICT: CC
COMPLIANCE WITH
CEQA*: n/a
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: 8 Jan., 1991
TIME: 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde between Ocean and 7th Avenues.

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BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.

Jeanne Brehmer
City Clerk

Dated: Dec. 17, 1990

Date of Publication: Dec. 20, 1990

* California Environmental Quality Act.

(PC1224)

CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
CALIFORNIA

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will receive sealed bids at City Hall, East Side of Monte Verde Street between ocean and Seventh Avenues until 3:00 p.m. on January 7, 1991, at which time bids will be opened for Ventilation Modifications at the Fire Station on Sixth Avenue.

All bids must be submitted only on forms furnished by the City. Copies of Bid Forms as well as Specifications for this project may be obtained at Carmel-by-the-Sea City Hall, east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues. The contractor shall have the right to substitute securities for any monies withheld by the City to insure performance under the contract pursuant to Goverment Code Section 4590.

All questions regarding plans and specifications will be directed to Asst. Chief John Willett at (408) 624-1718.

The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids and waive any irregularities.

Each bid shall be in accordance with the plans and specifications adopted therefore, submitted on the proposal form furnished.

Bids shall be in accordance with the prevailing hourly rate of per diem wages for this locality and project as determined by the Director of Industrial Relations pursuant to Labor Code Section 1773.2 which prevailing hourly rate of wages is made a part of this notice by reference as though fully set forth herein.

If the project requires the employment of workers in any apprenticeable craft or trade, once awarded, the contractors or subcontractors must apply to the joint apprenticeship council unless already covered by local apprentice standards (Labor Code Section 1777.5).

The contractor shall submit with the proposal on the form supplied, a list of the name and address of each subcontractor and the portion of the work which each subcontractor will do. If no such list is submitted, it will be assumed that the contractor will do all the work herein specified.

Plans and specifications may be obtained from Carmel City Hall, Administrative Office, between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and noon and 1:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m. weekdays at no cost at Monte Verde South of Ocean.

Prior to commencement of work, the successful bidders must obtain a City Business License. Proof of valid Workers' Compensation Insurance and General Liablity Insurance, with limits as specified under the Public Liability and Property Damage Insurance Section of this document shall be submitted to the City. The Certificate of Insurance shall guarantee that the issuing company shall provide to the named certificate holder, 30 days' written notice of cancellation of the Public Liabilty and Property Damage Policy. Proof of all applicable insurance coverages as required by the State of California or by the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea shall be placed on file with the City Clerk before work shall commence.

DATED: December 14, 1990
JEANNE BREHMER
City Clerk

DATES OF PUBLICATION: Dec. 20, 1990
(PC1223)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901889

The following person is doing business as:

ATELIER GALERIE, E.S. San Carlos Btwn. 5th & 6th, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

SAMUEL EHRENBERG, 22 Elk Run, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Samuel Ehrenberg

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 13, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 6, 13, 18, 20, 1990.

(PC1207)

ORDINANCE NO. 90-02
AN ORDINANCE AMENDING ORDINANCE NO. 86 SO AS TO REVISE THE CIRCUMSTANCES UNDER WHICH A DISTRICT EMPLOYEE MAY BE PAID COMPENSATION IN LIEU OF VACATION

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CARMEL AREA WASTEWATER DISTRICT DOES ORDAIN AS FOLLOWS:

1. **Ordinance No. 86 Amended.** Ordinance No. 86, entitled "Ordinance Establishing Personnel Policies," adopted on August 19, 1980, is hereby amended to delete Article VII, Section 7, (b)(1) in its entirey and to replace said section with a new section, to read as follows:

(1) Compensation in Lieu of Vacation.

(a) An employee being separated from service having served for not less than one (1) year shall be entitled to be paid compensation in lieu of vacation for vacation accumulated to the date of separation. An employee being separated from servcie with less than one (1) year's service shall not be entitled to compensation in lieu of vacation.

(b) An employee finding himself in a financial need caused by circumstances beyond his control may apply to the General Manager for payment of compensation in lieu of accumulated vacation. Following confirmation of the financial need, the General Manager may, in his discretion, authorize payment of salary in lieu of earned vacation for a maximum of two weeks in any one calendar year for the employee. The decision of the General Manager may be appealed in writing to the Personnel Committee of the Board of Directors.

2. **Publication.** Following adoption, this ordinance shall be published once in a newspaper published in the District.

3. **Effective Date.** This ordinance shall take effect on January 1, 1991.

PASSED AND ADOPTED at a regular meeting of the Board of Directors of the Carmel Area Wastewater District duly held on December 13, 1990 by the following vote:

AYES: BOARD MEMBERS: Beemer, Floyd, Haseltine, Stevens, Townsend
NOES: BOARD MEMBERS: None
ABSENT: BOARD MEMBERS: None

Charles F. Townsend
President of the Board

ATTEST:
James R. Kloepfer
Secretary to the Board

(PC122120)

NOTICE OF PETITION
TO ADMINISTER ESTATE
of MARGARET E. WAGNER
CASE NO. MP11633

A PETITION has been filed by Patricia E. Young in the Superior Court of California, County of Monterey.

THE PETITION requests that Patricia E. Young be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decendent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authrotiy to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held December 21, 1990 at 9:30 in Probate Room A located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey Ca. 93940.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent credtiro of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed bythecourt within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date notice above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner David R. Hendrick, 26613 Carmel Center Place, Suite 201, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

(s) David R. Hendrick
Attorney for Petitioner

This notice was mailed on December 3, 1990 at Carmel, Ca.

Publication dates: Dec. 6, 13, 18, 1990

(PC1209)

NOTICE OF PETITION
TO ADMINISTER ESTATE
of ELIZABETH M. HARRINGTON, AKA BETTY
CASE NO. MP11640

1. To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may otherwise be interested in the will or estate or both of Elizabeth M. Harrington aka Beth Harrington and E.M. Harrington.

A PETITION has been filed by James D. Hansen in the Superior Court of California, County of Monterey.

THE PETITION requests that James D. Hansen be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decedent.

THE PETITION requests the decendent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authority will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held Jan. 11, 1990 at 9:30 a.m. in Dept. A located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey Ca. 93940.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections or file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent credtiro of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed bythecourt within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date notice above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner Eugene Garfinkle, Esq. Dreher, Garfinkle & Watson, 300 Montgomery Street, Suite 1060, San Francisco, Ca. 94104.

(s) Eugene Garfinkle
Attorney for Petitioner

Publication dates: Dec. 13, 18, 20, 1990

(PC1214)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. F901999

The following person is doing business as:

ECONOMY ELECTRIC, 4086 El Bosque Drive, Pebble Beach, Ca. 93953.

JEFF LYNN DEHAVEN, (same as above)

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Dec. 3, 1990.

(s) Jeff L. DeHaven

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 11, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
County Clerk

Publication Dates: Dec. 13, 18, 20, 1990, Jan. 3, 1991.

(PC1210)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS
NAME STATEMENT
File No. F902016

The following person is doing business as:

ERA NETWORK REAL ESTATE, NETWORK REAL ESTATE, NETWORK BUSINESS SERVICES, NETWORK PROPERTY MANAGEMENT, NETWORK COMMERCIAL SERVICES, NETWORK LAND SERVICES, NETWORK BUILDERS PROGRAM, at 2210 N. Main Street, Salinas, CA 93906

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This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 11/20/90.

(s) E. R. Gresham, President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 6, 1990.

ERNEST A. MAGGINI
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Publication Dates: Dec. 18, 20, 1990, Jan. 3, 10, 1991

(PC1219)

CITY OF
CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA
NOTICE OF
PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all persons bearing any interest in the matter, that the City Council of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea, California, will conduct a Public Hearing.

SUBJECT: Consideration of an appeal of a technical decision of the Planning Commission granting a Use Permit to Robert Murphy for a combination condominium and apartment project with a density of 43.6 units per acre. The project is located on the northwest corner of Junipero and Fourth Avenues and is in the R-4 Land Use District. The appeal has been filed by the Carmel Residents Association.

PURPOSE: To determine if the decision of the Planning Commission should be upheld or overturned.

ZONING DISTRICT: R-4
COMPLIANCE WITH
CEQA*: Certified Environmental Impact Report
DAY: Tuesday
DATE: Jan. 8, 1990
TIME: 4:00 p.m.

PLACE: The City Council Meeting will be held in the City Hall Council Chambers located on the east side of Monte Verde between Ocean and 7th Avenues.

Any court challenges made pursuant to decisions made by the City on this proposed action may be limited to issues raised at the public hearing described in this notice, or in written correspondence delivered to the (Planning Commission, City Council), Forestry Commission, etc.) at, or prior to, the public hearing.

ALL INTERESTED PARTIES are invited to attend said HEARING and express opinions or submit evidence for or against the proposal as outlined above.

BY ORDER OF THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA.

Jeanne Brehmer
City Clerk

Dated: Dec. 7, 1990

Date of Publication: Dec. 18, 1990

* California Environmental Quality Act.

(PC1220)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, 9 January 1991. The meeting will be called to order at 2:30 P.M., the Planning Commission will tour agenda sites and the public hearings will be opened at 3:30 P.M. or as soon thereafter as possible.

1. UP 90-55/DR 90-44 General Store SW Junipero and 5th Block 58, Lots 1 and 3	Consideration of an amendment to an existing use permit to remove two on-site parking places, to transfer interior seating to exeterior seating and to control occupancies by persons rather than seats; a use permit for providing two off-site parking spaces; and a design review of landscaping in the Service Commercial (SC) Land Use District
2. UP 90-57 Gary Messenger/James Brolin S/S Ocean bet. Monte Verde and Lincoln Block 74, South 55' of Lot 4	Consideration of a use permit for the retail sales of coffee, tea, pastries, confections, and accessory items located in the Central Commercial (CC) Land use District.
3. UP 90-60 Eileen M. Begley W/s Mission bet. 4th and 5th Block 50, Lot 11	Consideration of a use permit to allow a property management office located in the Residential and Limited Commercial (RC) Land Use District.
4. UP 90-61 Lauren R. Young S/s 6th bet. Dolores and Lincoln Block 72, South 92' of Lot 3	Consideration of a use permit to allow an arts and crafts store located in the Central Commercial (CC) Land Use District.
5. DS 90-5 Elizabeth Parese E/s San Carlos bet. 13th and Santa Lucia Block 142, Lot 20	Consideration of a design study for a 2nd story addition to an existing single family residence located in the R-1 Land Use District.
6. DS 90-54 Roger Ingram NE Carmelo and 8th Block N. West 1/2 of 18 and 20	Consideration of a design study of an addition to an existing single-family residence location in the R-1 Land Use District.
7. DS 90-62 Clarence Mitchell W/s Santa Rita bet 5th and 6th Block 61, Lot 5	Consideration of a design study of a new two-story single family residence located in the R-1 Land Use District.

Dated: 14 December 1990
Date of Publication: 20 December 1990

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City of Carmel-by-the-Sea

CARLA RAMSEY, CHAIRMAN
/s/ Mary Jahr-Purvis
Secretary of said Commission

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24768 Guadalupe $529,000. Sun. 2-4 Del Monte R.E.

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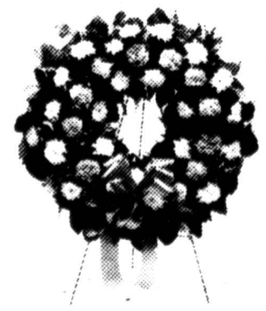

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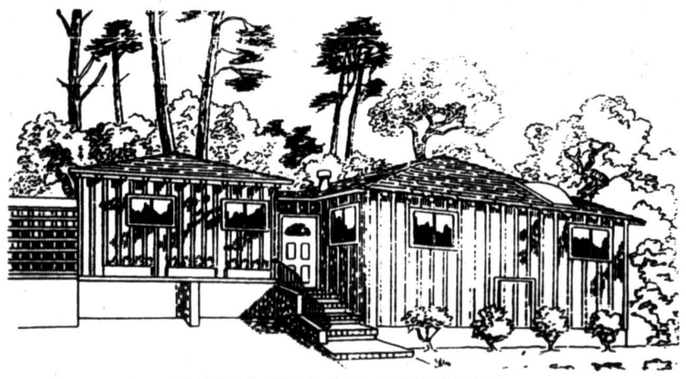

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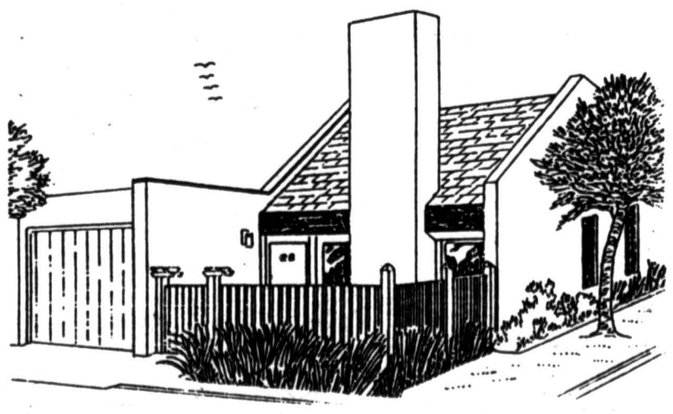

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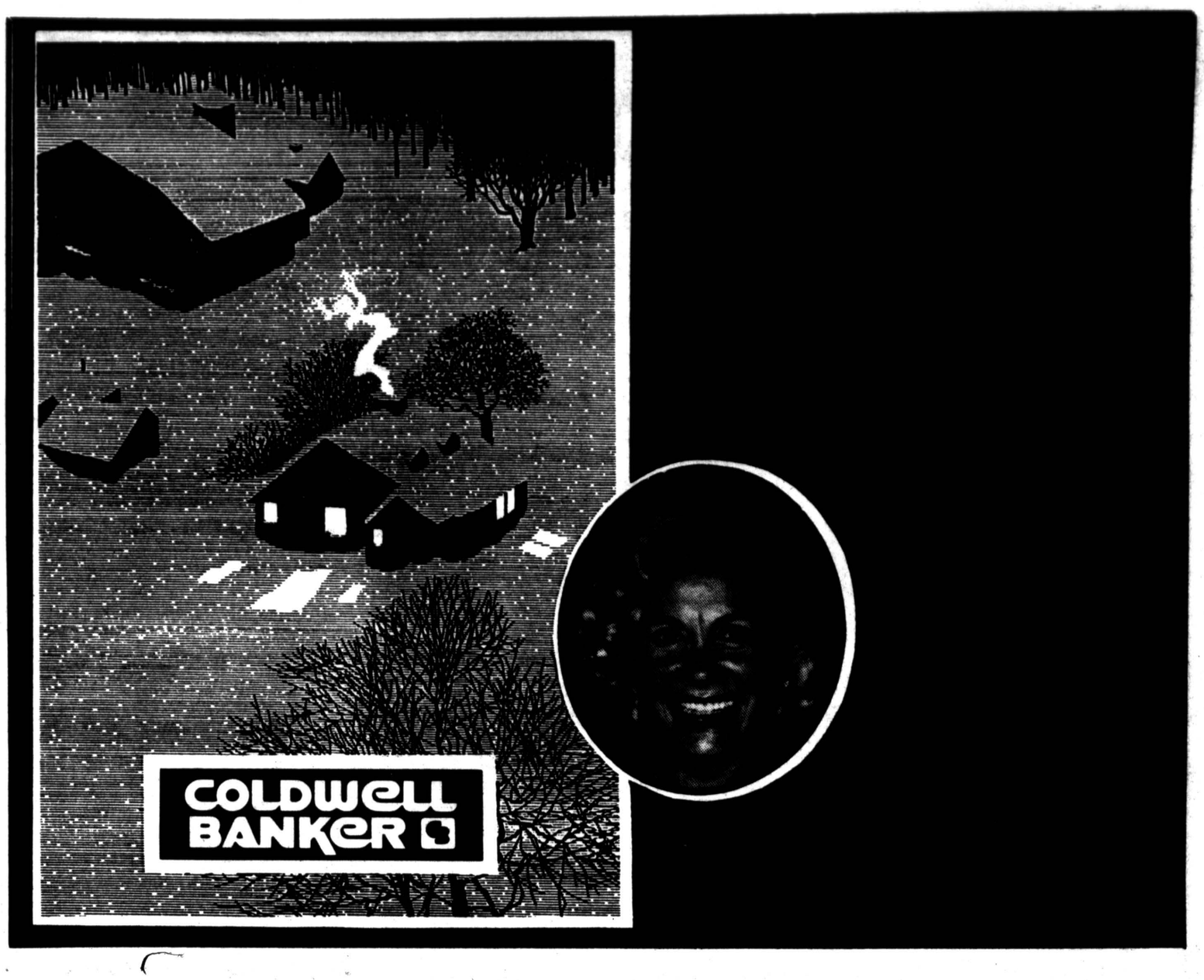

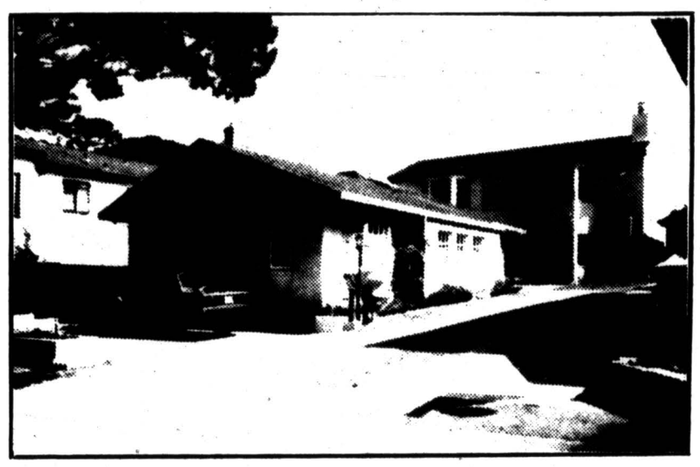

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Located in sunny Hatton Fields. A spacious 3 bedroom, 2 bath ranch-style home. Vaulted beam-ceiling living/dining room. Family room/office with fireplace & separate entrance. On a large lot with room for pool, tennis courts or R.V. $529,000.

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A charming older Victorian. Lovingly restored & updated with attention to architectural detail. Spacious living room with 10' ceilings. 4 Bedrooms, 2 baths. On 2 lots. Completely fenced with sunny brick patio & mature landscaping. A wonderful home in excellent move-in condition. 2-Car garage. $595,000.

CHEERFUL NEW CARMEL HOME

A light & airy home. Features beautiful tile entry, cathedral ceilings, solarium windows & skylites. Luxuriously carpeted living room with marble fireplace. Gourmet tile kitchen complete with top-of-the-line appliances. Separate dining room. Private sunny deck. 2 Bedrooms. 2 Baths, each with separate tub & shower. Plus powder room. $595,000.

SOUTH OF OCEAN AVENUE

Ocean views. An older 4 bedroom, 2½ bath home. Plus guest house. On a 60x100' corner lot. Just steps to town. Fix it up. Or tear it down & build a new home. Demolition permit & water permit included. Plus approved plans for a new home at 45% FAR. $650,000.

CARMEL OCEAN VIEW HOME

A beautiful spacious near-new home. Features lovely ocean views & private treetop vistas from "The Great Room." Wonderful open floor plan. Enhanced by oak floors, warm river rock fireplace & ridge skylite. French doors open to an expansive tile deck offering relaxing outdoor living. Comfortable master suite with romantic fireplace. 3 bedrooms, 2½ baths. Plus Guest House with kitchenette. Office. Laundry room. Extensive storage rooms suitable for hobby or dark room. 2-Car garage. Nicely landscaped. On a corner cul-de-sac lot. In a quiet neighborhood near town & beach. $895,000.

CARMEL MOTEL FOR SALE

A comfortable 12-Unit Motel. Plus Manager's Unit. Reception area & Living room/Lounge with fireplace. Ample off-street parking. Recently remodelled. Offers a residential atmosphere. Located on the fringe of the commercial district. Just a short walk to the heart of the village. $1,900,000.

CHARMING MONTEREY COTTAGE

A cozy Victorian-style 3 bedroom cottage. Located in the "Sun Belt," between Lake El Estero & the Naval Post Graduate School. On an oversize lot with room for addition. $235,000.

RUSTIC MONTEREY HOME

A charming 2 bedroom home. Ideally located close to shopping. On a quiet street in a good area of Monterey. Great starter home, investment or permanent residence. $239,500.

PACIFIC GROVE HISTORIC COTTAGE

A cute 3 bedroom Victorian cottage. In need of some TLC. Corner location. Close to town & walking distance to the golf course & beach. Spectacular views of the ocean & golf course possible with 2nd story addition. $239,000.

HIDDEN HILLS VIEW HOME

Offering lovely views of the bay & mountains. A spacious 4 bedroom, 3½ bath ranch-style home. Plus separate guest house with kitchenette. Freshly painted. In move-in condition. Tile baths & counter tops. Skylites. 3 Fireplaces. Fully fenced. $595,000.

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$239,000 Carmel Valley building site with 300 degree panoramic vistas, near village at the end of of Ridge Way.

$375,000 Quail Lodge single level 2 bedroom condo with fabulous golf course views.

$465,000 Carmel Valley Ranch townhome with no common walls is just like a separate home with a private front courtyard and garage.

$705,000 Lakeside at Quail Lodge. Location, location, location at the end of a cul-de-sac, lake and golf course outlook. 2 bedrooms, 2½ bathrooms, dining room with office and separate den. Private patio and low-maintenance yard.

$2,350,000 Sleepy Hollow Country Estate over 12 acres:
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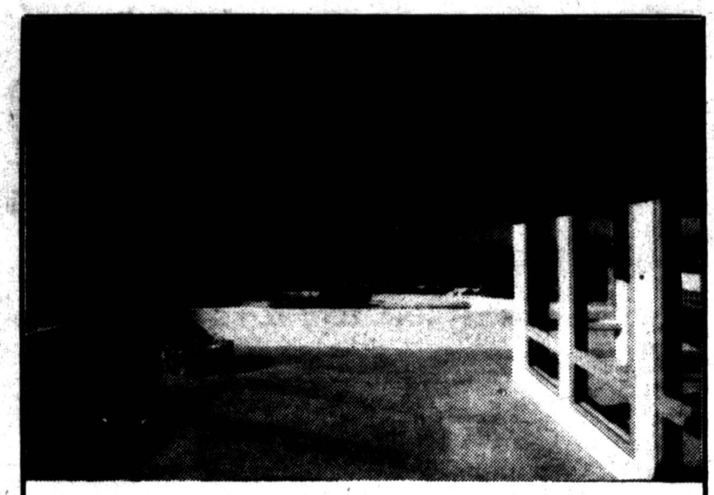
STORYBOOK CARMEL COTTAGE!

If you would like a large, sunny lot with one of the cutest one-bedroom, cottages in town, all for the price of the lot alone, this is it! A Carmel-stone fireplace, open-beam ceilings in the living room & bedroom plus a large deck. $299,500.



SEASIDE CONTEMPORARY!

Opening to the white sands of Carmel Beach, a spectacular 3-bedroom, 3-bath home commanding unobstructed views of Carmel Bay & the ocean beyond. Features include dramatic skylights, thin-wall plaster interior & walls of glass inviting ocean views inside & an exquisitely decorated interior of white & natural-tones. Private, gated drive to this irreplaceable setting. $2,850,000.

JUST LISTED!

"Casa Siesta" is a charming, turn-key south-of-Ocean-Avenue home in a level walk to town area. Totally remodeled, this Jazzy 2-bedroom, 2-bath cottage offers open-beam ceilings, Mexican-tile floors, a marble kitchen with top-of-the-line appliances, window seat & large, private back yard. Set on an oversized lot with room to expand. Wonderful value. $469,000.

HATTON FIELDS LOCATION!

In the marvelous quiet, estate area you'll find this 3-bedroom, 2-bath home amongst a wonderful setting. Children will love the spacious yard & fabulous mature oaks. The formal rose garden produces exquisite flowers. Let your imagination run wild as you recreate the home of your dreams. House to be sold as is. $565,000.

OCEAN VIEWS!

Lovely 4-bedroom, 3½-bath remodeled home featuring designer wallpaper, matching window coverings & light, bright rooms. Ideal for the living room with fireplace is large formal dining room, family room & tile-accented kitchen with custom cabinets & breakfast area. Ocean views from major living areas & master suite. $569,000.

SEA & FOREST VIEWS!

Capturing spectacular sea & Point Lobos views is this 3-bedroom, 3-bath home. Offering a gracious amalgamate of contemporary flair, it displays both high drama & relaxed coziness. It awaits both sparkling parties & offers cordial welcome to family & friends. Designed to take advantage of southern exposure, all rooms have ocean views. $599,000.

JUST LISTED!

"Old Carmel Charmer." Walk to the beach from this home renovated to preserve the original style of the free-flow floorplan. Large kitchen, dining area, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, fireplace in living room and covered front porch. On an oversized lot with separate 1 bedroom, 1 bath guest house. $619,000.

PACIFIC GROVE

FOREST GROVE CONDO!

Just outside the Pebble Beach gate, close to schools & shops, is this spacious 3-bedroom, 2½-bath condo. Features include a fireplace in the living room, dining area, and utility room off the kitchen, Private, sunny patio. Close to community spa & clubhouse and golf cart distance to MP-CC. $295,000.

TWO-STORY CRAFTSMAN HOME!

A wonderful home on a large corner lot in one of PG's finest neighborhoods. This light & airy home features a sensational master suite with bay views and much more! Four bedrooms, 3 baths plus a den. $455,000.

OCEAN VIEWS!

See for yourself! Surf, sand & pines-combine with a beautifully-designed & crafted home of cedar & glass; 3500 sq. ft. of living space on exquisite ½-acre site with native landscaping. Tucked away behind an electronic security gate a short stroll to the beach, a best ocean view value! $1,100,000.

RESIDENTIAL INCOME!

Ideally located one clodk to Lovers Point and the beach, a four-plex with large one bedroom units. The units are identical and in good condition. $499,000.

SPARKLING VIEWS!

Architecturally designed, this home offers gorgeous sea views from the kitchen, living room & deck off the master bedroom. Large family room with wet bar, open beams & brick accents. Elegant lighting fixtures, designer wallpapers, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths & 2 half baths. Prime area steps to Lovers Point. $525,000.

QUIET NEIGHBORHOOD!

Freshly landscaped, darling 2-bedroom home in ideal location just a short stroll to the ocean or town. Light & airy, in top condition throughout, features include beautiful oak floors in the living room, an oversized kitchen with new tile counters, and enclosed sun porch off the kitchen & new copper plumbing throughout. $209,000.

DEL MONTE PARK AREA!

Near schools, shops and bus lines, an ideal family home. Features include spacious living room and large family room with its own separate entry, 2 fireplaces, 3 bedrooms & 2 baths. $279,900.

NESTLED AMONG OAKS!

A finely tuned 3-bedroom, 2-bath home on a street-to-alley lot in super Pacific Grove area. Spacious living room offers oak floors & marble fireplace. Chef's dream of a kitchen complete with custom-pine cabinets & white-tile counters. Sun-filled bach yard plus white picket fence. $359,000.

PEBBLE BEACH

WALK TO OCEAN!

A walk to the sea can be your daily routine from this charming 3-bedroom, 2-bath. Set on a level parcel studded with well-tended oaks, it features a plushly carpeted living room with corner fireplace and French doors, a dining room with random-width oak floors, bay window, and lots of storage, and a large, well-designed island kitchen with breakfast nook & pantry. $485,000.

NEW ON THE MARKET!

Built in 1924, this is one of the older homes across from the Fairway Practic field in the exclusive Lodge area of Pebble Beach. A 3-bedroom, 2-bath home on nearly a half acre plus. This property could be developed into a beautiful extate using the cottage during the process. The present shingle-sided house includes a great room with an oversized stone fireplace and high open ceiling. $575,000.

FRENCH COUNTRY STYLE!

On a prestigious 1-1/3 acre is this elegant home featuring custom-plank wood floors, crown moldings & 3 fireplaces. This inviting home offers an open country kitchen with wood-burning stove, formal dining room, master suite & cozy den. Separate-entry lower-level has 2 bedrooms & large bonus room. Bordered by greenbelt plus room for expansion! $945,000.

NEAR MPCC CLUBHOUSE!

A flowering garden entry beckons you to this handsome redwood home. The skylit entry leads to the living room enhanced by soaring open-beamed ceiling, stone fireplace & wet bar. On the same level is the master suite, 4th bedroom & bath. Formal dining is off a skylit, custom-cabinet kitchen. Breakfast area overlooks a marvelous, two-level solarium with dining ara & cozy sitting area. Nearby is the family room with fireplace & wet bar, 2 bedrooms & bath. Landscaped grounds. $659,500.

ABOVE THE LODGE!

An exceptional, Monterey-style 4-bedroom, 5½-bath home — garacious, spacious & private. Well-proportioned living room, generous-sized dining room, library with fireplace, separate office & delightful, large kitchen & private entry guest suite. Private, sun-filled patio. $1,485,000.

WALK TO THE LODGE!

This comfortable, spacious & airy 4-bedroom 4½-bath Pebble Beach home is set in lovely gardens close to The Lodge resort. A perfect family home or corporate retreat with privacy & easy access to all Peninsula facilities. A large 2-bedroom, 2-bath guest house is separated from the main house. The sunny, glassed-in loggia opens to gardens. Built-ins & 3 fireplaces. $1,790,000.

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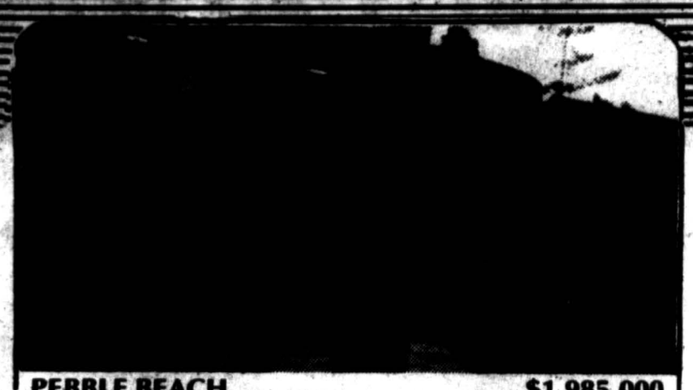

PEBBLE BEACH.....$1,985,000
DISTINCTIVE ESTATE with lovely ocean and forest views. Over 6000 sq. ft. in this sophisticated contemporary home.

PACIFIC GROVE.....$269,000
UNIQUE HOUSE with three levels facing the water. Spiral stairway steers you through this one bedroom house. Endless sea vistas and glowing sunsets.

CARMEL $395,000
PRIME LOCATION AT A REALISTIC PRICE. Four-bedrooms, 2 baths spacious living room, dining room and 2-car garage.

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MILL CREEK RANCH Beautiful rustic main house with caretakers quarters and guest house all on a peaceful, wooded 110 acre parcel overlooking the Pacific Ocean. $1,250,000.

PRIVACY, SECLUSION AND OCEAN VIEWS from this 53 acre Big Sur south coast property. Rustic 3 bedroom, 2 bath house with a large detached workshop. $600,000.

SWEEPING OCEAN VIEWS from this meticulously maintained 12-year old traditional home. Three bedrooms, 3 baths, gourmet kitchen, 700 sq. ft. master suite and a library. $1,300,000.

CREATE YOUR OWN BIG SUR HIDEAWAY on this large parcel with panoramic views. $195,000.

COMMANDING OCEAN VIEW CARMEL HIGHLAND BUILDING SITE! Approximately 1.7 acres. $650,000.

COMMERCIAL ZONED RIVERFRONT PROPERTY in the Big Sur valley. Highway frontage plus 3 additional parcels totaling 150 acres. $1,300,000.

OCEANFRONT PROPERTY IN CARMEL HIGHLANDS. Enjoy breathtaking white-water views from two spectacular coves. Approximately 2 acres. Existing 800 sq. ft. cottage. Remodel or expand! $1,290,000.

BEACHFRONT/OCEANFRONT LOT! Ready for your specially designed home. Watch the crashing surf, whales migrating and gorgeous sunsets or maybe just play in the sand. $1,700,000.

PRESTIGIOUS AREA OF YANKEE POINT. Access to private beach. Two-bedrooms and 2 baths. Best value in all of South Coast. $385,000.

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ONE YEAR NEW CONTEMPORARY HOME. Three bedrooms, 2.5 baths, formal dining, huge family room and a Jacuzzi tub in the master suite. $695,000.

GREAT VIEWS! Fabulous walled and gated interior courtyard accent this 3100 sq. ft. 3 bedroom, 3 bath home located on 1.5 acres. $670,000.

CASUAL LIVING AND ELEGANT ENTERTAINING can be a way of life in this outstanding showplace on a secluded mountain-top site with breaktaking views. $795,000.

STEEPING IN LUXURY INSIDE AND OUT!! This fabulous home of 18,000 sq. ft. even has an indoor swimming pool. Guest accommodations and staff apartment. Over 12 oak studded acres behind security gates. $3,400,000.

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BEAUTIFUL TWO-STORY 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with an abundance of closet space. Nice private patio for enjoying that morning cup of coffee. $337,500.

ENJOY THE OCEAN VIEWS AND BEAUTIFUL SUNRISES from this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home located in a prime area and only blocks from the water. $550,000.

STEPS TO THE OCEAN AND NEAR THE P.G. GOLF COURSE. Extremely well cared for 4-bedroom, 2.5 bath home with beautiful ocean views. $559,950.

A SHAKE ROOF CAPS AND COMPLETES THIS UNIQUE 2 bedroom, 1.5 bath home with ocean views from almost every room. Steps to the water. $469,000.

AFFORDABLE HOME WITH GREAT OCEAN VIEWS. Two bedrooms and 1 bath cutie with fireplace. $237,000.

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ROOM TO ROAM in this 4 bedroom home with 4.5 baths, family room, den, formal dining room and even a wine cellar. Beautiful swimming pool and two 2-car garages. $575,000.

INNOVATING ARCHITECTURAL HIGHLIGHTS make this home exceptional in every way. Four bedrooms, 3.5 baths and an extra large recreation room. $525,000.

COMFORTABLE TWO-BEDROOM HOME with Bay Views. This smaller home could use some tender loving care. Perfect for a young family. $234,500.

FOR THE FUSSY BUYER! This 2 bedroom home in the Monte Regio area is in spotless condition. Open beam ceiling, beautiful hardwood floors and fireplace in the living room. Large patio area. $250,000.

JACKS PEAK... One of the few remaining view lots! Wonderful building site on this 7.93 acre parcel. Not in coastal zone. $3,300,000.

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MARINA... Well cared for 4-plex. All units have 2 bedrooms, completely applianced kitchens, new carpet and drapes. Only 10 years old. Carports and extra storage. $320,000.

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EXCELLENT SCHOOL DISTRICT. Here's a real family home. Features 4 bedrooms, 2 baths and family room. New roof and deck. $259,500.

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CHIC CARMEL CONTEMPORARY! Three bedrooms and 2 lovely baths. Ocean view deck and lovely gardens. $849,000.

JUST A SHORT STROLL TO THE BEACH from this 2 bedroom, 2 bath home on a beautifully landscaped lot with a private, sunny patio. $650,000.

CARMEL ENCHANTMENT! This exquisite 2100 sq. ft. cottage features 2 separate bedroom suites, 2 stone fireplaces and lead glass windows. $810,000.

NEWLY REMODELED DESIGNERS HOME on nearly 1/2 acre. Two bedrooms, 2.5 baths, romantic solarium dining area with firpelace and open beamed ceilings. $649,000.

ROMANTIC HIDEAWAY. In move-in condition and awaiting your personal touches. Two bedrooms and 2 baths with open-beam ceilings and a private brick patio. $459,000.

ALL FINANCING WILL BE CONSIDERED INCLUDING LEASE OPTION on this extra large 3 bedroom, 4.5 bath home. $698,000.

LIKE-NEW COTTAGE tucked away in a south of Ocean location. Rolled roof caps this 3 bedroom, 2.5 bath home. $469,000.

ONE OF THE LAST NEW HOMES AVAILABLE IN CARMEL! Two bedrooms and 2 baths with ocean view. Loaded with the finest amenities. $699,000.

TRIPLEX consisting of a duplex and a separate studio cottage. Fireplaces in all three units. Off-street parking for all. $450,000.

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SPACIOUSLY ELEGANT! Lovely single-family home on the first fairway of the Carmel Valley Ranch featuring 3 bedrooms and 3.5 baths. $575,000.

EVEN A "DOG RUN" comes with this 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath home on the First Green at Carmel Valley Ranch. Relax in the hot tub in a secluded patio. $535,000.

IDEALLY LOCATED in one of the valley's best neighborhoods is this 4 bedroom, 3 bath family home. Complete set-up for horses, pool and a play yard. $499,000.

ALONG THE BANKS OF THE CARMEL RIVER! Lovely 3 bedroom, 3.5 bath home on level acre. Self-contained guest house. $639,500.

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